







Marcia,

It's been great knowing you this year. We've had some good times on the bus talking about Miss Shaw & Mrs. Troutman and everybody else. Stay as sweet as you are and you'll go a long way in life.

Lots of luck,  
Mary Linda

5/9/63

11/Marcia,

It's been great these past three years! You are truly one of North's sweetest girls. I'm glad you received the "Miss High Miss" - you deserved it! Best of luck in everything you undertake - don't forget our old English class next year!

Love Always  
Terrye

Marcia,  
I have really enjoyed going to school with you and especially this year in homeroom. The best of everything at W.C. And all through life.

Love,  
Susan

Marcia,  
It's been great knowing you this year. I'd like to take this opportunity to wish you the best of luck at W.C. U.N.C. next year.

Sincerely  
Anita Dresser

Marcia, I've seen great things really seen great things going to school with you there past two years. You're a great girl and deserve the best of everything.

Pat & Jack  
Cotton

Marcia,  
I have really enjoyed your company in W.C. History class. I hope I didn't embarrass you by talking you guys down and. Best of luck in college. Don't forget our English class.

Love Always,

Jim

Marsha - I've enjoyed knowing you all these many years - Statesville road, Verita, & North. You've done well everywhere you've been - Congrats. You made a fine "Miss Hi Miss". Best of luck in the future - Hope you have a good time at W.C.

So you'll have to come visit + give me a "congrat" sometime! "Batesy" Love ya,





Marcia,

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too cherades - beach trips -  
which Mr. Matt. believes  
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# NORTH MECKLENBURG SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

*at* am quite a master of - Charlotte . North Carolina

Mrs. Troutman - fun - (lunches) \* how did that get  
 under this category - World Lit. And the many  
 other things we've been  
 through together. Always.

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*Ginger Puckett, Business Manager*

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Allen Shepard

P.S. I really have enjoyed knowing you all these years old girl, you've gotten to be a regular old brown in my closet. I will never forget you.

Yours Allen Shepard

Yours Allen Shepard

As I am  
 sure you must  
 have realized, I  
 have appreciated so much  
 your manner - It's what  
 every teacher hopes to find a  
 lot of..... E. Mott

# DEDICATION

Because her warm personality and sincere desire to help the students of North Mecklenburg has won for her the admiration of the entire student body

... because her patience and willingness to listen has made her a dynamic influence upon North students

... because her concern for each individual, especially those entrusted to her in class, has won for her the af-

fection of all

... because her unselfish and untiring devotion to her work has earned for her the respect of students and faculty

... the yearbook staff proudly dedicates the 1963 *Viking* to Mrs. Estelle I. Mott, teacher of English and adviser to the Senior Class.

*When the hurly-burly's done  
 When the battle's lost and won.*



"Now, Dennis, you know that book report was due *three* days ago."















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Davis Crater, President of the Student Body, looks with pride at the marker, which was a gift of the Class of '60.

## FOREWORD

On September 4, 1951, following the decision of the Mecklenburg School Board to consolidate the individual high schools of Cornelius, Davidson, Derita, Huntersville, and Long Creek, North Mecklenburg Senior High School first opened its doors to students. Since that initial year, North has expanded in both plant and body. A classroom wing and a gym have been built and a new wing has been planned for opening in '64. The present student body of 869 is the largest in the school's history.

Along with the growth of the plant and the student body of the school, there has developed a spirit that is

indicative of the personality of North. North Mecklenburg is characterized by a spirit of loyalty to the school and a pride in the school and its record. To instill in each student a spirit of honor, the desire for knowledge, and willingness to serve in whatever capacity one can are principles to which this institution is dedicated.

Because honor, knowledge, and service are symbols of the character of North, we proudly present to the student body the seal upon which the theme of the annual is based.



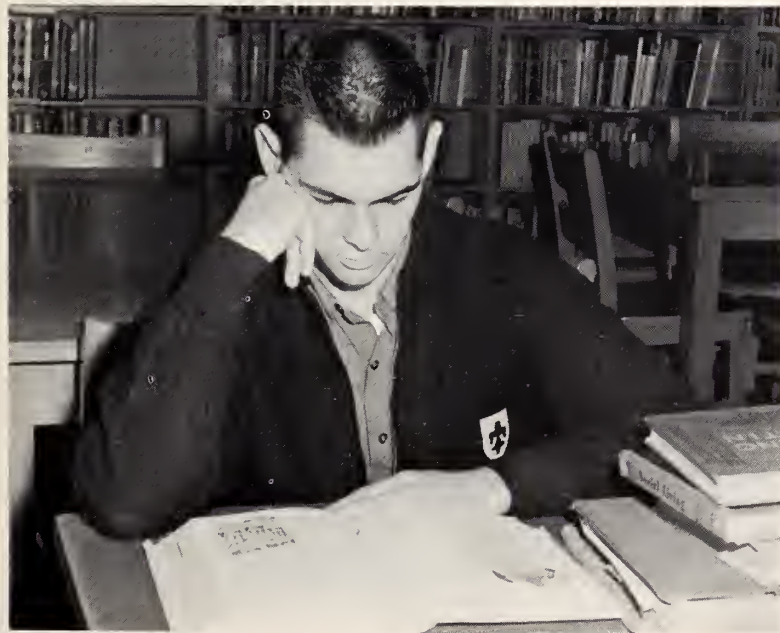
# KNOWLEDGE . . .



Because of their merit in scholarship, leadership, and service to the school, outstanding upperclassmen were tapped into the National Honor Society. New members were given lighted candles as a torch of knowledge, symbolizing their past accomplishments and their future aspirations.

Many students satisfy intellectual curiosity by experimenting to gain a practical knowledge of man and the things that surround him.

Nothing more than reading can bring the world to one's door—the world and all its peoples.



# HONOR . . .



To realize that that one's school work is the individual responsibility of each student, and to fulfill this responsibility gives the student a feeling of self-satisfaction and gains for him the respect of others.

Doing a job well, no matter what the job may be, brings honor to the student who does his best in whatever role he is cast.



Enthusiastic and vigorous spirit in the support of one's school and all its activities affects all students, for enthusiasm is contagious.





## SERVICE . . .



As a service to the school, commercial students prepare the absentee list each day. They collect lists from homerooms, alphabetize them according to class, run them off on the Rexagraph and deliver them to faculty and administration.



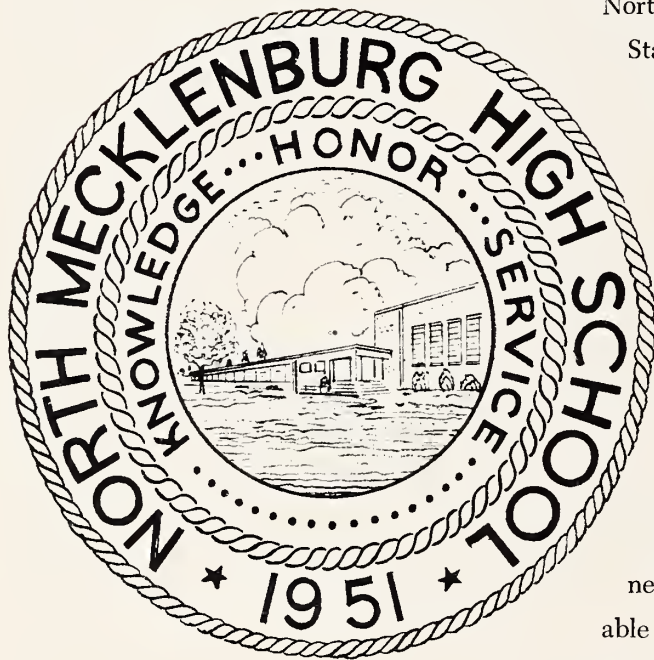
As an aid to students bound for college, North annually sponsors a College Day. Then students learn of the various opportunities offered by each college and of the requirements for entrance.

Students at North are proud of their program in cooperation with the American Field Service. They feel that they are serving a worthy cause when they bring an exchange student to the school. Their feeling is that they profit more than the foreign student in their midst, and this experience serves well for both.





After much thought and preparation, we, the 1963 *Viking* Staff, present to the student body a seal, which we hope will become a symbol of North Mecklenburg High School. The seal was designed by the *Viking* Staff and approved by Mr. Hough, our principal.



Since the activity of the student is centered around the school, we chose the plant itself as the center from which the student absorbs those characteristics which mold and develop his mature being.

Feeling that it should be truly representative of the ideals for which North Mecklenburg stands, we tried to choose those words which we felt would be indicative of the school—KNOWLEDGE, HONOR, SERVICE—these words symbolize the character of the North Mecklenburg Student. To instill in each student a thirst for knowledge, a desire to do honorably the best he can in whatever he undertakes, and a willingness to serve wherever he can—to produce an intelligent citizen capable of making worthy contributions to society because he is developing his whole being . . . these are the principles to which North Mecklenburg is dedicated.

# ADMINISTRATION AND CURRICULUM





In our twelfth year, as always, the faculty and administrators of North Mecklenburg High School have led the students in new fields of study with dynamic new concepts in teaching. Our television classes are continuing to be taught and French lab classes are being initiated this year. Grammar and literature classes are being rotated among various teachers, and even a new method of mathematics is being taught.

Students who are advanced academically are given the opportunity to do more advanced work so that they can move as rapidly as they are capable. Nevertheless, students who find themselves unable to move at such a rapid pace are given just as much consideration.

Work has been stepped up over the past few years; and in keeping with the Governor's policy of "Quality Education," North is striving to keep abreast of the times.



Mrs. Barfield discussed a novel, *The Bridge of San Luis Rey*, with combined English classes.

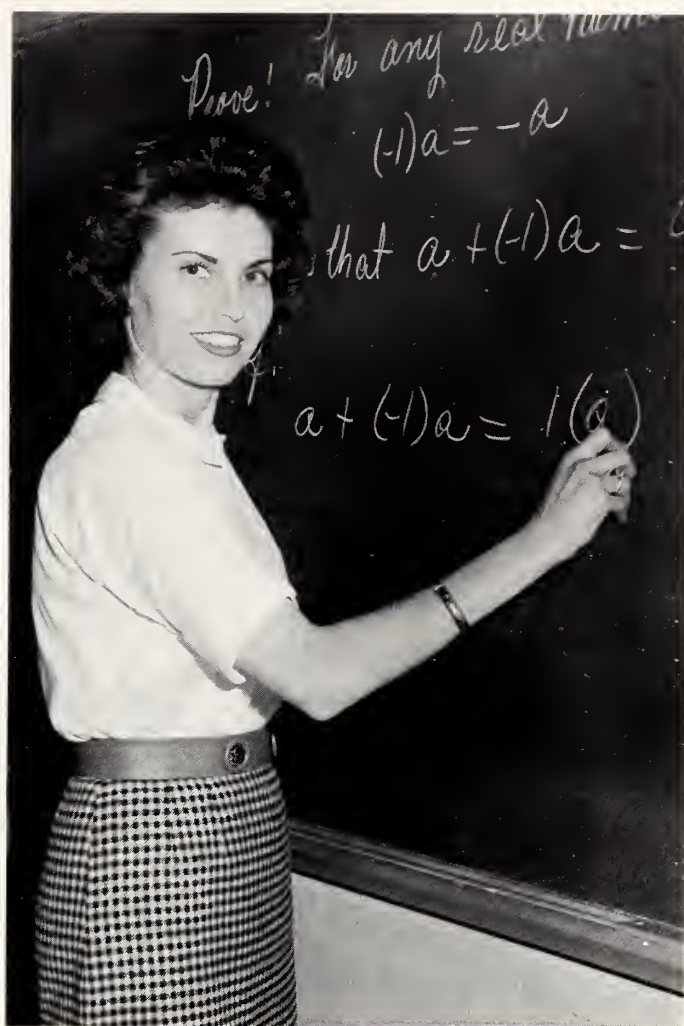
## New Concepts



Mr. Hough and Dr. Craig Phillips, Superintendent of Charlotte-Mecklenburg School System, discussed problems of consolidation.

Mr. Haynes assumed his accustomed stance behind the television to prepare the class for the day's T.V. lesson.





Miss Merrell, who is a first year teacher, proved a theorem in basic algebra.

## In Teaching

Miss Shaw impatiently waited as Mrs. Holtzclaw, Mrs. Troutman, and Mrs. Klutz served themselves at a Christmas tea given for the teachers.





# A New Administration Moves Forward

Now Superintendent of Charlotte - Mecklenburg County Schools, Dr. Craig Phillips was born on November 1, 1922. He attended high school in Greensboro and Chapel Hill. He graduated from U.N.C. in 1943 with a B.A. in Math and History. He also received his M.A. from U.N.C., and later earned his Doctorate in Education there.

Dr. Phillips taught at Gray High School in Winston-Salem and coached basketball. He was assistant principal, teacher of seventh grade, and director of activities at Ardmore Elementary School. Later he became the first principal of the John W. More High School and then assistant Superintendent of Winston-Salem Schools. In 1956 he became Superintendent of Winston-Salem schools.

Winston-Salem honored Dr. Phillips in 1957 by naming him "Young Man of the Year."

An active member of the Methodist Church, Dr. Phillips resides at 2801 Inverness Road in Charlotte.



Before the opening of the 1962-1963 school year, all Charlotte-Mecklenburg County teachers heard Dr. Craig Phillips, who talked to the group about goals for the school year. Seated on the stage with Dr. Phillips were board members, administrative personnel and guests. Those teachers who were teaching in the county for the first time sat on the stage also.





Graduate of Wake Forest College Mr. Hough is the second principal of North Mecklenburg High School. His B.S. degree is in science and social studies. He later attended UNC, where he completed his graduate work in administrative education.

Mr. Hough was born in Norwood, N. C. Here he attended high school and college, then moved to Dunn, where he taught science. He was first principal at New Hope High School; later he was principal at Bladenboro and Berryhill.

Mr. Hough is a "sports-lover," but bird hunting is his favorite past-time. Summer finds him working here at North, or working on a farm in Hubert, N. C.



## Administration Guides School Activities

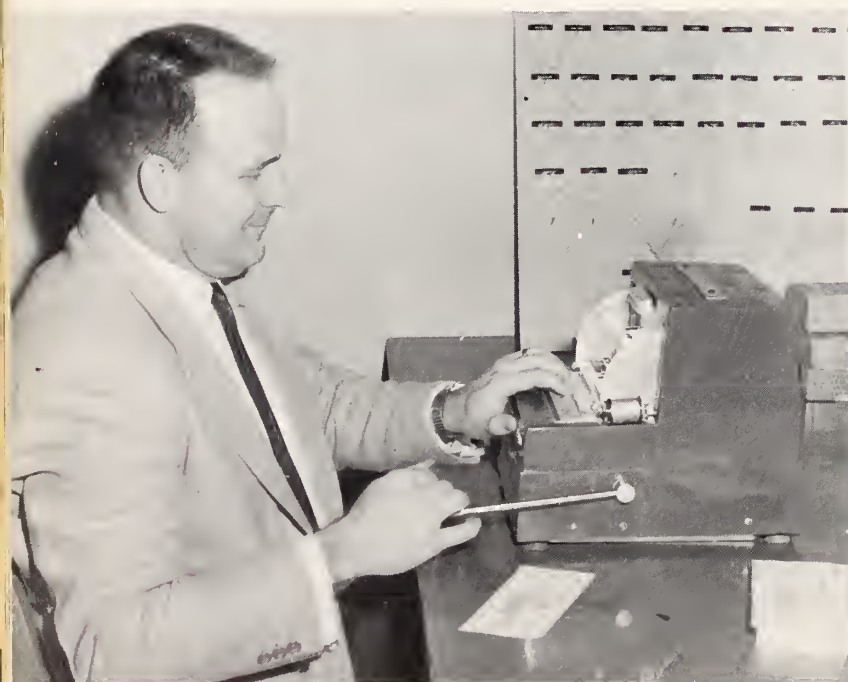


Mrs. Louella Hefner, school secretary, reconciled her bank statements with her books for December. Mrs. Hefner's duties were many and varied.



MR. BRYCE HURD . . . Lees McRae, Elon, A.B.;  
A.S.T.C., M.A. . . . Assistant Principal . . . Athletic Di-  
rector .

Mr. Hurd spent much time working the Keysort, which classi-  
fies each report card as to teacher, subject, etc.

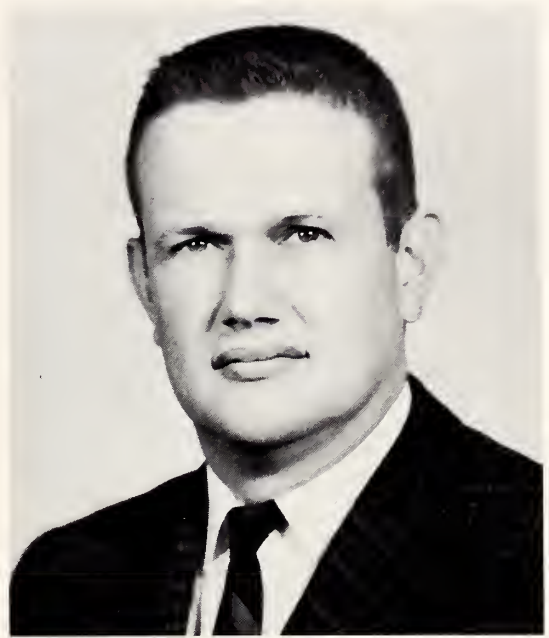




## Counselors Offer Varied Services



MRS. CHRISTINE G. HOLBROOK . . .  
W.C.U.N.C., A.B. . . . Guidance Counselor.



MR. TARON S. JONES . . . N.C. State,  
B.S.; A.S.T.C., M.A. . . . Guidance Counselor . . . Adviser to Student Council . . .

Many students at North seek the guidance of the school counselors, but not always about their personal problems. Mr. Jones and Mrs. Holbrook not only interview each student at some time during the year, but seek to help each student when he needs their assistance.

The Counselors give scholarship information to qualified students, administer tests to individuals and to classes, interpret test scores, and fill out school records on college applications. Their work is always in the interest of the student and is a vital part of North's program.

"You mean this is my score?" said Mike Whisenant, as Mr. Jones (right) handed Janet Cherry her College Board score.





MRS. RUTH BARFIELD . . . G.S.T.C., Mercer University, B.A. . . . English II, Reading . . . Adviser to the *Viking* . . .



MISS PANSY HOPKINS . . . Catawba, Emory University, B.A.; Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, M.R.E. . . . English II, IV; Remedial Reading . . . Adviser to F. T. A. . . .



MRS. PEGGY HUNT . . . A. S. T. C., B. S. . . . English II . . .



MRS. RUBY KLUTTZ . . . Western Carolina, B. S. . . . English III, Spelling and Word Study . . . Adviser to Junior Class . . . Junior-Senior Sponsor . . .



MRS. SYLVIA SIMS . . . High Point College, B.A. . . . English III, IV . . . Adviser to Hospitality Committee . . .



MISS MARGARET SMITH . . . Flora MacDonald, B.A. Winthrop, M. A. . . . English II . . . Adviser to Red Cross . . .



Mrs. Sims pointed out to Diana Clark some of the ways by which her outline could be improved.





Juniors in Mrs. Klutz's English class studied "The Scarlet Letter." They found that note taking was helpful for review at test time.

## English Offers Enrichment

English teachers of North Mecklenburg strive to teach each student to think clearly, to read intelligently, to communicate effectively in speech and writing, and to listen critically. They try to instill in each student a desire to read good literature for enjoyment and also for insight into moral and spiritual values.

Three units of English are required for graduation, one unit being earned each year that a course is successfully completed. World literature is an elective in the field of English. Students who find a need for remedial or speed reading are given a chance to improve their reading. Spelling and word study is an elective, also. Book reports are a requisite for a unit in English.

"Out, out, damned spot." The sleepwalking scene from Macbeth came alive for a senior English class when Virginia Cornue dramatized the part of Lady Macbeth.



MRS. ESTELLE MOTT . . . Lees-McRae, Catawba College, B.A.; U. N. C., M.A. . . . English III, IV, World Literature . . . Adviser to Senior Class . . . English Department Head . . .

MISS MARY RICHARDS . . . Converse, A.B., Emory University, B.S. . . . Librarian.





MRS. JEAN HOLTZCLAW . . . Queens College, A. B. . . . French I, French Lab. Remedial Reading . . . Co-Adviser to National Honor Society . . .

MRS. RUTH WALL . . . Gardner-Webb, Wake Forest, A. B. . . . Latin I, II; English II . . . Adviser to the *North Star* . . .

MRS. PATSY TROUTMAN . . . Queens College, A. B. . . . French I, II, III . . . Adviser to French Clubs, A.F.S. Committee, National Honor Society . . .

## Languages Broaden Horizons

Today it has become almost a necessity to have knowledge of a foreign language, and better still to be able to speak and understand not only one but several languages. North offers two languages—French and Latin. In such courses students learn grammar and the history, culture, and literature of these people.

In French emphasis is placed on speaking, listening, and understanding. Through the NDEA program materials and equipment have been purchased to facilitate learning French correctly.



Mrs. Troutman used the bulletin board to explain French lessons.



Mes melleurs amis  
de l'école à moi  
bonne nuit  
Patsy Troutman



Linda Nelson and Vernessa Woodrow followed a lesson in the book as they listened to it on tape.



More than ever before, mathematics is a very important field of learning, and many colleges are requiring more courses for entrance. To meet the demand and keep abreast of the latest changes, North has added to and improved its curriculum in that field. S.M.S.G. Geometry and Algebra, Integrated Algebra and Trigonometry, Intermediate Mathematics, and Elementary Functions and Matrix Algebra are among the newer courses offered. Besides teaching basic fundamentals, math attempts to train in basic reasoning and practical applications of problems worked on in class.

Traditional courses are still being offered, however. Many students who do not prepare for college take business math as the one required course for graduation.

## Advanced Math Courses Offered

MR. MARTIN PETERSON . . . Atlantic Christian, B. S.  
. . . Algebra I, II, Intermediate Mathematics, Geometry . . . Adviser to Math Club . . .

Mr. Peterson explained an algebra problem to his second period class, who were taking Intermediate Algebra, taught at North this year for the first time.



MRS. MARY LOU DAGGY . . . Earlham, A. B. . . .  
Algebra I, II; Geometry . . .

MRS. CHRISTA GRIFFIN . . . McMurray, Georgetown,  
B.A.; Columbia, M. A. . . . Business Math . . .

MISS DEANNA MERRELL . . . Charlotte College,  
Queens, B.A. . . . Algebra I, Business Math . . .

MISS JOYCE PUTNAM . . . A.S.T.C., B. S.; M. A. . . .  
Algebra, Geometry, Algebra-Trigonometry, Elementary  
Functions and Matrix Algebra . . . Co-Adviser to Red  
Cross . . .





To learn more about oneself and about one's surroundings is the purpose of all sophomores taking biology.

But many students find themselves wanting to know much more about scientific subjects and to explore the whole realm as far as possible. Thus advanced courses are offered for those who want to delve into principles and to experiment. North offers biology, chemistry, and physics, as well as chemistry lab classes.

A part of every sophomore's school life includes hours spent at the microscope examining plants and animals of a relatively unknown world. Sophomore Carol Woodall explored this world.

## Chemistry Offered To Sophomores . . .

MRS. MARIAN COCHRAN . . . Marshall, B.S. . . . W.C.U.N.C.; U. of Maryland . . . Biology and Chemistry . . .

MRS. HELEN HART . . . Lander, B.S. . . . Biology . . . Science Club . . . Adviser to Sophomore Class . . .

MR. EVERETTE PIGG . . . Furman, A.B. . . . Biology . . . Basketball Coach . . .

MR. LARRY WOODROW . . . A.S.T.C., B.S. . . . Chemistry, Physics . . . Adviser to Science Club . . .





Sponsored annually by the Science Club, the Science Fair provides an opportunity for interested students to demonstrate their ingenuity and knowledge. It gives them a chance to do further study in a field of science that particularly interests them. Students report on and exhibit the projects in a display which is open to everyone at North. The Science Fair is kept open through one P.T.A. meeting so that parents may have a chance to see the projects.

North's projects are judged at the school, and the winners compete in the district. District winners go to the state; all contestants have a chance to win prizes of value.

The Science Fair is an excellent means for students to gain a broader, more lasting knowledge of science; it also may help steer some student in the direction of a science career.

## Projects Encourage Science Careers



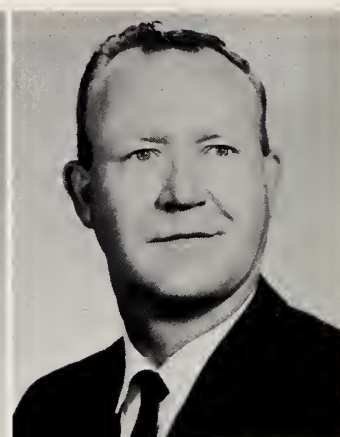
Preparing an interesting and informative project took much time and hard work. Sandra Harrill and Vernessa Woodrow chose "Hydra" as the topic for their investigation. Their project was entered in the biology division of the science fair.



As the deadline for Science Fair Projects drew near, students began setting up their projects to make sure they worked. Here Nelson Perry and Johnny Blackman experimented to find the heat of solution of sulfuric acid.

MISS LEILA JOHNSTON . . . Salem, B.S.; Presbyterian School of Christian Education, M. A. . . . Bible I, II . . . Adviser to Bible Club . . .

MR. WILLIAM RATTEREE . . . Mercer, B. A.; U.N.C., M.A. . . . U. S. History, World History . . . Football Coach . . .



MR. WILLIAM ROSS . . . A.S.T.C., B.S. . . . U. S. History, World History, Sociology-Economics . . . Football Coach . . . Baseball Coach . . .



Miss Rigney's U.S. History class listened as she dictated history notes.





Mr. Ratteree's class found debating an interesting way of learning. Mary Kay Davis (standing) led the discussion.

T.V. classes were new experiences for some. Students soon learned not to get behind in note-taking.

## Social Studies Aid Future Decisions

As ways of living and thinking are developed, this civilization improves. This year North offered a wide variety of courses in the Social Studies curriculum, including Bible, Family Living, American History, World History, and Sociology—Economics. To be informed of local and world affairs, one must have a specific amount of understanding of one's history and that of other people.

History is studied not only to learn of the past but to better one's life by avoiding the mistakes made by others. But most of all, North hopes to instill in its students an appreciation and interest in past happenings and ways of life.



MR. MACK HAYNES . . . A.S.T.C., B.S., M.A. . . . Physical Education, U.S. History, World History . . . Adviser to Key Club, Football Coach . . .

MISS ELEANOR RIGNEY . . . W.C.U.N.C., B.A. . . . U. S. History . . . Adviser to Dramatics Club . . .







MR. LAWRENCE PHILLIPS . . . A.S.T.C., A.B. . . .  
Band

MR. JERRY THOMAS . . . Pfeiffer, A.B. . . . Chorus

Band and chorus are the two courses offered in the field of music. Chorus members participated in special musical programs for the school and for the P.T.A. They also performed for organizations outside of the school. The band played at pep rallies and football games and added to the spirit of the students and other spectators.

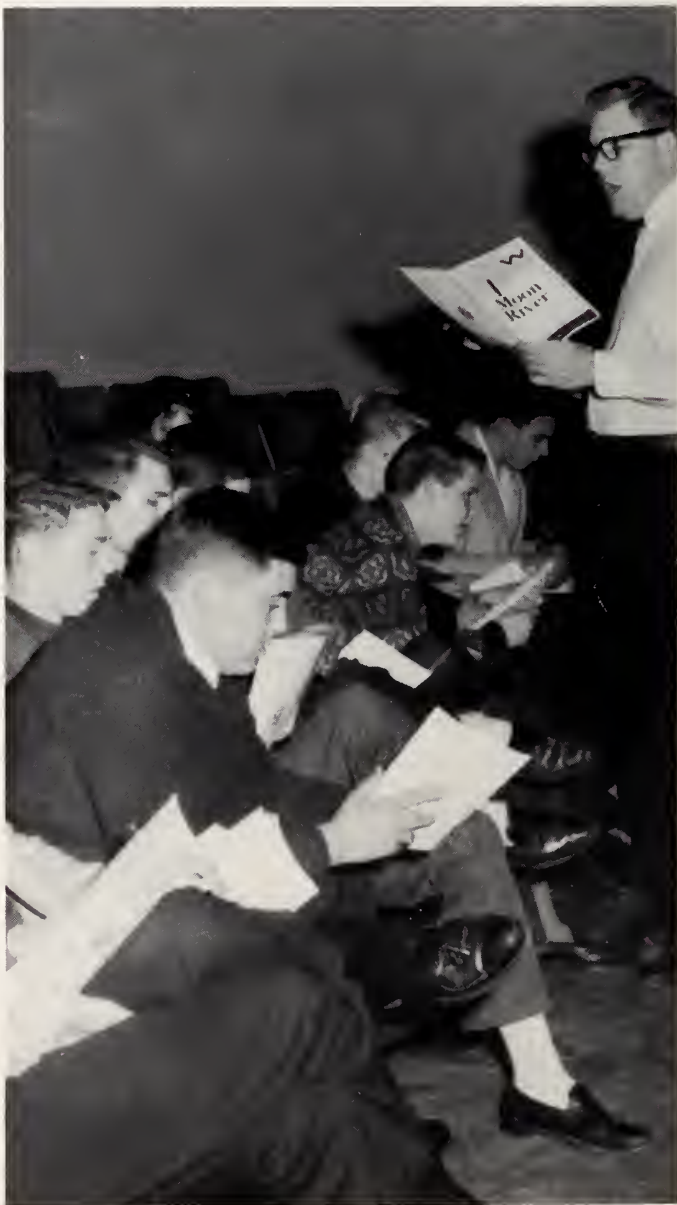
During their school years, many students take chorus and band in order to gain a greater appreciation of music of various types. It broadens the students' appreciation of all the creative arts. Many students find such an interest in music that they choose as their career some form of this art.

## Music Brightens The Spirit

Band members gathered in the bleachers before a pep rally.



These boys practiced their parts in "Moon River" with the aid of Mr. Thomas.





# Art Develops Appreciation and Provides Pleasure

Art courses at North give the students an opportunity to express themselves and to enjoy the work of fellow students. Students paint, make sketches, and try their hand at sculpturing and making jewelry. In the Industrial Arts class, students enjoy designing and drafting.

Training in the art field can lead to outstanding vocations in commercial art, advertising, and numerous other areas. Even if the students do not enter into one of these areas, training in art helps them develop an appreciation of good art.

Jerry Love gained skill and experience while practicing with an Industrial Arts tool.



MISS JUNE BALDWIN . . . F.S.U., B.A. . . . Art . . .

MR. WILLIAM COCHRANE . . . U. of Maryland, M.A.  
. . . Industrial Arts, Mechanical Drawing, Arts and  
Crafts . . . Cross Country and Track Coach . . .



Arts and crafts offers the student an opportunity to increase his creative appreciation and ability. Margie DeHart and Linda Henson demonstrate how to make copper jewelry.



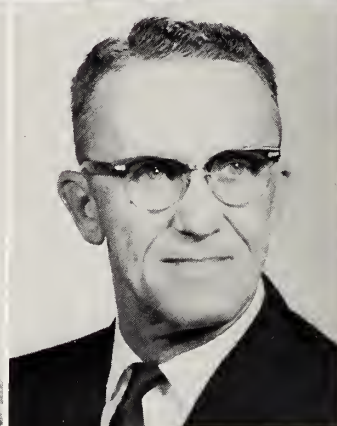
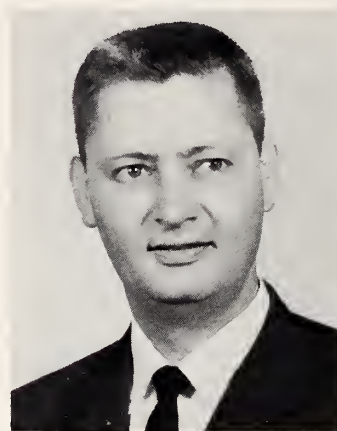


MR. ORLAND GABRIEL . . . N.C. State, B.S. . . . Agriculture . . . Adviser to F.F.A.

MRS. VIRGINIA LILLY . . . W.C.U.N.C., B.S. . . . Home Economics, Family Living . . . Adviser to F.H.A.

MRS. BOBBIE ROSS . . . A.S.T.C., B.S. . . . Family Living, Home Economics . . . Adviser to F.H.A. . . .

MR. ARTHUR MEACHAM . . . N.C. State, B.S. . . . Agriculture . . . Adviser to F.F.A. . . .



## Home Economics, Agriculture Develop Hobbies, Vocations



Hands carefully guide the board as it is being sawed in half.

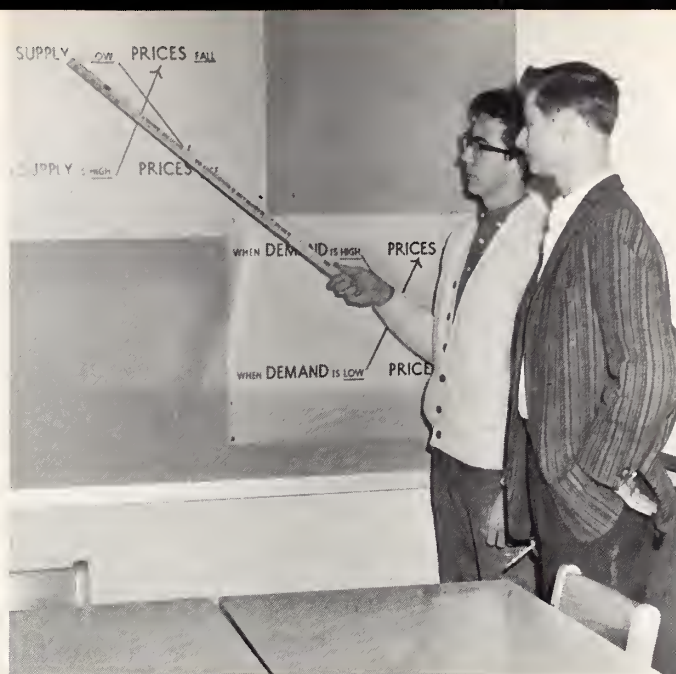
Home Economics and Agriculture are two of the vocational subjects offered to the students at North. In Home Economics girls learn to plan and prepare well-balanced and appetizing meals and to sew. Agriculture offers boys a chance to learn about farming and other agricultural careers. Many hobbies develop from these courses. These boys also become familiar with tools used for sawing, sanding and planing.

Home Economics and Agriculture classes teach practical skills and offer chances to apply knowledge gained.

Mrs. Ross and a group of her Home Economics girls made mints for the coming holiday season.



"Supply and Demand" was the subject of the bulletin board which Harvey Sloop and Glenn Johnston used to make a point in D.E.



Students who plan to work after graduation rather than go to college receive the most help from the Commercial Department, although many commercial students attend college. In this department students prepare themselves for jobs by taking Typing I, II; Shorthand I, II; Bookkeeping, Office Practice, and Secretarial Practice.

Distributive Education classes prepare themselves for better jobs by gaining experience in many ways—by working, by studying salesmanship, and by studying production and distribution, among other things. Students learn how to dress and how to conduct themselves in an interview, also. Moreover a knowledge of free enterprise is gained by the D.E. students.

To test the proficiency of the student, many speed tests are given students in typing.



## Students Prepare For Jobs



MRS. DONNA HELTON . . . High Point, B.S. . . . Distributive Education . . . Adviser to D.E. Club . . .

MRS. SUE JONES . . . Winthrop, B.S. . . . Bookkeeping, Office Practice, Typing . . .

MRS. MARY ALICE MILLER . . . Western Carolina, B.S. . . . Shorthand I, Typing . . .

MRS. ANNIE SUE PHIFER . . . Western Carolina, B.S. . . . Shorthand I, Typing . . .





For the first time physical fitness tests were given all sophomores. Ronnie Sellers had to climb the rope, touch a piece of metal placed at the top, and come down again, while Ronnie Burleson and Gene Benfield held the rope.

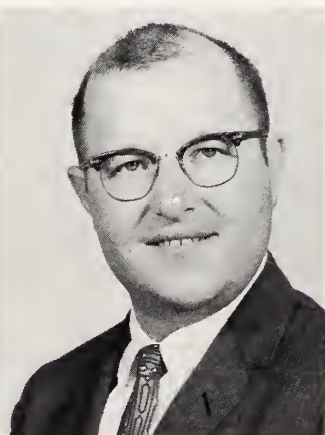


To earn his license a driver education student must pass the road test successfully. Here a sophomore boy tried his skill at parallel parking while another awaited his turn, under the watchful eye of Mr. Presson.

## Physical Fitness and Safety Stressed

A diversified program to promote good sportsmanship and fair play as well as to increase the student's athletic ability is planned for both boys and girls. Boys spend the majority of the year playing football, basketball, and softball. At the same time girls enjoyed basketball, softball, badminton, volleyball and soccer. Folk dancing, wrestling, tumbling, and calisthenics were also a part of the activities.

Driver education is offered those students taking physical education. The study course is taught the first six weeks of school. After that students take P.E. until their turn to take on-the-road training. A student must successfully pass both study course and driving tests before given his license.



MR. ANSEL GLENDENNING . . . A.S.T.C., A.B. . . . U. S. History, Physical Education . . . Assistant Football Coach, JV Basketball Coach . . . Co-Adviser of Monogram Club . . .

MR. WADE PRESSON . . . Wingate, A. S. T. C., B. S.; Catawba, Certificate in Driver Education . . . Driver Education . . .

MISS CORNELIA SHAW . . . A. S. T. C., B.S.; M.A. . . . Physical Education . . . Adviser to Booster Club, Cheerleaders, G.A.A. . . .





The cafeteria staff was composed of Dessie Barkley, Elsie Deaton, Ruth Snodgrass, Annie Rivers, Edith Rivers, Betty Smith, and Peggy Robbins.

## Cafeteria Prepares Well-Balanced Meals

Frances Beard, manager of the cafeteria was responsible for the many records that had to be kept.



Preparing well-balanced, appetizing meals five days a week for over 800 students and faculty members was a tremendous task for the seven cafeteria workers and their manager. From early morning until their day's work was finished, they tried to prepare food the students would enjoy, and which would provide the nourishment they needed.

Meal service was given with a smile.







Mr. Hugh Deaton, custodian, was responsible for supervising the work of the janitors and keeping the grounds clean.

Since North's plant is composed of several buildings and the campus is quite spread out, the custodian and the janitorial staff are kept busy keeping things in order. Mr. Hugh Deaton, the custodian, supervised the work of the staff, saw that the buildings were opened in the morning and closed in the afternoon. Another of his responsibilities was to see that the buildings were kept warm in winter, a job that sometimes required his coming over in the wee hours of the morning to start up the furnace. Moreover, Mr. Deaton was on duty when school activities were held at night. Numerous other jobs were his, also.

Keeping things clean and polished is the work of the janitors and the maid. After each exchange of classes the halls were dry mopped to keep down as much dust as possible, and this was done again after school. Facilities were scrubbed, floors mopped and waxed about twice during the year, grass mowed, and many other things done to keep things spic and span.

## Custodians and Janitorial Staff Keep North Clean



Sudie Cornelius, the maid, posed with her new "easy-rolling" cart.

Theodore Cornelius, Sudie Cornelius, Sylvester Houston, John Staton, members of the janitorial staff, took time out from their work to pose for the photographer.





# ORGANIZATIONS







"Now, Mrs. B., you know that picture won't fit there." said Corinne Dotger to adviser, Mrs. Ruth Barfield. But that was before she learned to trim and scale pictures.



Working on the Administration section required great care to see that all statistics were correct. Planning this division were Ann Knox and Allen Shepard.



A different theme each year requires much thought. Planning the theme of the 1963 *Viking* were Elaine Rhodes, Jane Price, and Susan Logan.



Looking at some interesting copy were (seated) Barbara Kidd, Janet Cherry, and (standing) Dianne Knox who were responsible for the Organizations section. Gayle Moore and Jane Pettus (also standing) worked on Features.



Making sure that no one was left out, Elaine Williams, Pam Bullard, and Randy Wally had a tedious task working on Classes.



# VIKING Designs And Uses Seal As Theme

Planning, for the 1963 Staff, began in the summer with a short session with Mr. Ron Norman and Mr. Earl McDermott of the printers. They talked to the members about features that make a good yearbook and interesting ways to present material. It seemed easy, sitting in the shade of the oak tree, listening; however, carrying out those things called for much thought.

Nevertheless work began and things began to have some form. Advertisements and subscriptions were sold, and a budget set. The Staff decided on a college-size book again, and plans were put on paper.

What about a theme? It just didn't seem possible to decide on one. Then one day some of the Staff and the adviser began doodling, and from those doodles

emerged a seal, which became the theme of the 1963 yearbook.

Inspired, the Staff went to work on pictures, class lists, copy, and a dozen other necessary things. Just when everything seemed to be going fine, someone would misplace a picture or a class list. Then everyone had to stop work and search frantically until the lost was found. Copy was written, discarded, and re-written. Headlines were puzzled over, written and re-written. There were times when it seemed there just wouldn't be an annual. But the Staff would never give up.

Such was the work of the Viking Staff. One would think there was no enjoyment to be had in such a disorganized organization, but it was fun.



Bobby Lippard, of Photography, worked with Mike Whisenant and Janice Griffin, of the Sports section. Photographer Mike Norris (standing) looked to see what pictures needed to be made.



Proofing and typing required much work and concentration as shown here by Bobby Beaver, Sports Editor, and Reeva Taylor, Typist.



Checking pictures so that they could be delivered to the students were Business Manager Ginger Puckett, and Co-Editors Judy Stancil and Corinne Dotger.





Assembly programs and pep rallies were presided over by Davis Crater, President of the Student Body.



Mr. Jones (right) advised the officers of the Student Council, who were Jimmy Poole, Treasurer; Zoe Hough, Secretary; Ronnie Norman, Vice-President; and Davis Crater, President.

## Student Council

Student Council members were homeroom presidents, class presidents, Committee Chairmen, and elected officers of the student body. They were **FIRST ROW:** Judy Byrd, Kristi Scott, Linda Nelson, Vera de Moraes, Terry Edwards, Pat Moore, Marsha Henry. **SECOND ROW:** Ann Thompson, Jane Bates, Glenda Roach, Cheryl Nalley, Kay Ashley, Elaine Small, Allen Shepard, Gary Ashford. **THIRD ROW:** Ricky Williams, Bobby Armstrong, Mimy Martin, Phyllis Wagner, Brenda Roberts, Zoe Hough, Eddie

Beverly, Rick Black. **FOURTH ROW:** Bobby Hinson, Larry Cox, Phyllis Deese, Gwen Whitley, Barbara Blythe, Al Frazier, Bobby Barnhardt, Ronnie Norman. **FIFTH ROW:** Joe Rogers, Joe Dwyer, Rebecca Robinson, Jill Rozzelle, William Smith, Harry Kelly, Richard Raymer. **SIXTH ROW:** Fred Kerr, Johnny Wallace, Currie Johnston, Will Brown, Thomas Kerns, Mike Whisenant, Pat Kerns, Johnny Cashion, and Steve Ferrell.





# Committees Plan Devotions And Chapel Programs

Various committees worked diligently to develop the aims of the Student Council. Their purpose was to incite a more amiable relationship between students and faculty. Another goal set by the Student Council was that of gaining a better relationship between North and neighboring schools.

Members of the Devotions Committee combined their ideas to come up with some original and interesting devotions which were presented each morning at the beginning of the first period.

Another committee, the Chapel Committee, met to devise assembly programs that would be entertaining

and interesting as well as educational. Many chapel programs with all these characteristics were presented to the student body. A Methodist minister, Reverend Montford from Davidson, addressed the student body on "Believing Something Doesn't Always Make It True."

Dr. Craig Phillips, Superintendent of Charlotte-Mecklenburg County Schools, talked to the students about developing educational and physical qualities. Representatives of the sponsors of Junior Achievement discussed and demonstrated the advantages of this organization. North's students gained knowledge and enjoyment from these and other well-planned programs.



Dr. Workman, a favorite of North's students, spoke on "Who Should Attend College" in assembly to initiate College Week.



Planning the interesting devotions given each morning was the Devotions Committee. Members were Rebecca Robinson; Gwen Whitley, chairman; and Barbara Blythe.

The responsibility of lining up chapel programs was given to these: Jane Bates, chairman; Will Brown; Reita Pendry; and Roy Cox.





While enjoying refreshments on College Day, the college representatives and their guides were able to get better acquainted. Pictured here are Mr. Allen from High Point College, Jean Long, Mr. Creech from Wake Forest, Gwen Whitley, Vicki Baker, and Mr. Hardesty from Brevard College.

## Hospitality Committee Encourages Friendliness

To create a friendlier, more enthusiastic atmosphere at North was the goal of the Hospitality Committee, which was responsible for the activities of College Day. These activities included contacting the colleges, greeting and guiding the college representatives, and serving the guests coffee and doughnuts after the sessions were over.

The committee was also required to greet and welcome new students. When a new student entered North's doors, members welcomed him and announced his arrival in the *North Star*. When a Rebel became seriously ill, an announcement was made in the school newspaper by the Hospitality Committee.



Vera de Moraes pointed out an interesting idea at the Hospitality Committee's planning session for College Day. Other members included Rebecca Robinson, Zoe Hough, Jimmy Poole, Currie Johnston, and Phyllis Wagner.



The Coast Guard Representative and his guide, Dixie Cochrane, joined in conversation during the social hour following the College Day Proceedings.





Members of the Social Committee discovered there could be a lot of work in the planning of social functions. Serving on this committee were: **FIRST ROW:** Vicki Baker, Mildred Hope. **SECOND ROW:** Pat Moore, Dixie Cochrane, Rebecca Robinson. **THIRD ROW:** Phyllis Wagner, Jane Bates, Perry Smith. **FOURTH ROW:** Tommy Manning, Fred Kerr, Grover Meetze.

North students and graduates enjoyed dancing to the music of the combo at the annual Homecoming Dance.

## Social Committee Sponsors Homecoming Dance

To begin their year's work, the Social Committee planned the first event of the year, which was the Sophomore Sock Hop. There the new Rebs had a chance to become better acquainted with class members and some of North's upperclassmen.

In preparation for the Homecoming Dance, a semi-formal affair, the committee chose as their theme, "The Old South" and created novel decorations in pastel colors to carry out the theme.

Graduates, upperclassmen, and sophomores enjoyed dancing to the music of Boyce Roberts' Combo. They also enjoyed the punch and cookies which were served. Mrs. Ross, Miss Shaw, Mrs. Kluttz, and Mr. Hough enjoyed the activities along with the students and graduates.

In order to promote better school relations, the Social Committee strove to create more interesting activities.



Work done by the Social Committee was appreciated by students who attended the Homecoming Dance.



# Exchange Program Promotes Understanding

These four A.F.S. applicants discussed their chances for being chosen to go abroad as exchange students. They were Susan Logan, Ronnie Norman, Elaine Rhodes, and Wayne Cline.



Vera took part in all school activities. Here, she and Mrs. Hart wait in the receiving line at the Sophomore Reception to meet the Sophomores and their parents. Mr. Presson and Mr. Pigg enjoyed conversing with each other.



Sponsoring the exchange student and raising money for the A.F.S. program at North was the committee composed of FIRST ROW: Susan Logan, Zoe Hough, Bobby Beaver. SECOND ROW: Mimy Martin, Vera de Moraes. THIRD ROW: Tommy Benfield, Jane Bates; and Phyllis Wagner, chairman.

The American Field Service Committee of the Student Council has as its goal the increasing of understanding between the peoples of the world, and more specifically, increasing understanding between the peoples of the world and North Mecklenburg. The local A.F.S. Committee carries out this purpose by seeing that North's foreign exchange student becomes a part of the school and community.

Under the "Big Brother-Big Sister" program a North High student is the "big brother" or "big sister" of the foreign exchange student for a designated period, during which time he shares with the exchange student his activities.

In order to make the exchange of cultures complete, the A.F.S. also has a program which gives American teen-agers the opportunity to live with families in a foreign land.

The American Field Service Committee of the Student Council operates on the belief that it is vitally important in this uneasy world to learn about other people.





Several committees are chosen from the student body to be responsible for publicizing North's activities. The goal of these committees is to let everyone know about the school and what the school is trying to do.

HOUSE and GROUNDS COMMITTEE is responsible for making announcements about coming events, award winners, changes in schedule, and other similar things. The SCRAPBOOK COMMITTEE keeps the history of the school by cutting clippings which pertain to North out of the newspaper. These are used for future references. Perhaps the most important work it does is to compile the handbook, which is given to every Sophomore and any other new student who becomes a member of the Rebel student body. The handbook guides the new students during their first year at North. The PUBLICITY COMMITTEE makes known publicly the past and coming events of North.

Each committee must function properly if the Student Council performs its duties as it should. It takes hard work and cooperation, but the reward is a well-organized and purposeful Student Council.



Making up the Scrapbook Committee were Judy Stancil, Anita Dresser, and Corinne Dotger who worked hard to keep a record of the school's activities.

## Committees Publicize School Activities



House and Grounds Committee members, Buddy Skinner, Roger Cathey, and William Smith, operated the public address system for devotions and announcements.

Bobby Barnhardt and Mimy Martin, Co-chairmen of the Publicity Committee, sent the school news to the newspapers.



Selection from the applicants for membership in the Booster Club was a problem. Far too many students wanted to belong to this club. As a result, a new Constitution was written, which provided for one hundred twenty regular members who worked after school; fifteen members who could not work after school, but who did their share at home; a Planning Committee of eight people and two chairmen, one for football season and one for basketball season.

The club spent the year decorating the stadium for home games and organizing Homecoming activities. At the end of football, basketball, and baseball seasons, the club sponsored a day of celebration for each team. They bought the players' lunches and served a huge victory cake. In all their work, this, the largest of North's clubs, faithfully supported the ball teams.

Pat Moore, representing the Booster Club, cut cake for the players.



One of the football team's rewards for a winning season was the privilege of going to the head of the lunch line. Bobby Barnhardt, Mr. Ratteree, Lee Daughtery, Junior Dover, and Mr. Haynes enjoyed eating together.







Composing the Booster Committee were Pat Moore, Kathy Kanipe, Rick Burts, Mike Rodman, Bobby Beaver, Jerry Neal, Diane Alley, Elaine Hinson, and Allen Shepard. This committee was responsible for planning the year's activities.

## "Settle The West" Theme For Homecoming



Martha Wood and Betty Jo Grove looked over the project that won second prize among the Homecoming Projects. Note the Indian "biting the dust"; and that's just what they did when they played North at Homecoming.





Mrs. Holtzclaw's homeroom's project ranked first among the Homecoming projects. Dennis Latour added the finishing touch to the lettering.



With boosting school spirit as its main purpose, the members of the Booster Club endeavored to make 1963 the most active and spirited year ever. On game days pom-poms, Rebel tags, and confetti were sold from "Ye Olde Spirit Shoppe."

"Settle the West" was chosen as the Homecoming theme. Homerooms made projects, carrying out this theme, and displayed these in the foyer.

Spirit was running high!—How could the Rebs lose!



Members of the Booster Club sold pom-poms, tags, Rebel buttons, and badges in "Ye Olde Spirit Shoppe."





Don Dudley, News Editor; Fred Kerr, Feature Editor; Susan Allison and Junior Fincher, Sports Editors; listened attentively to instructions.

Wanda Kidd and Nancy Rogers looked over the final copy, while Dawn Hamilton and Jackie Comfort typed stencils.

## New Features Added To North Star

Under the watchful eye of their new advisor, Mrs. Ruth Wall, the *North Star* staff worked to make this year's paper better than ever. A new section was added to the paper in which compositions written by North students were published. Regular editorials and a luncheon menu were also added.

Staff members were kept busy as the *North Star* is a mimeographed paper. Cutting stencils, running them off, and stapling them was a man-sized job as each issue had to be distributed before the last bell rang. Students anxiously awaited the giving out of the papers on Friday afternoon during the sixth period.



Steve Johnson, Darrell Hinson, Joe Hamilton, and Larry Dunn looked over newly printed copies of the *North Star*.

Mrs. Wall pointed out a careless mistake in the *North Star* to Editor-in-Chief, Barry Gant; and Associate Editor, Cherry Wagstaff.





Members of the Honor Society were FIRST ROW: Esther Alexander, Jeanne Kiker, Mildred Hope, Gail Sherrill, Susan Logan, Judy Byrd, Anita Dresser. SECOND ROW: Mimy Martin, Zoe Hough, Judy Stancil, Reita Pendry, Judi Powell, Jane Price. THIRD ROW: Catherine Seay, Cherry Wagstaff, Al Frazier,

Ginger Puckett. FOURTH ROW: Jimmy Poole, Ronnie Norman, Don Gabriel, Corinne Dotger, Wayne Cline. FIFTH ROW: Tommy Benfield, Davis Crater, Johnny Blackmon, and Currie Johnston.



Initiation of new members into the Honor Society provided many laughs. Anita Dresser performed a duck walk for the senior members.

Honor Society tapping was a serious and very impressive occasion. Ronnie Norman held a lighted candle as did each new member. Zoe Hough robed Mildred Hope as Jimmy Poole prepared to tap another new member.

## Honor Society Taps New Members

A solemn and exciting tapping ceremony, the hilarious initiation of new members, the arrival of pins—these were all important times for members of the National Honor Society. New members and old joined for meetings based on the theme for the year—citizenship, one of the prerequisites for membership in the Honor Society. One meeting, at which Professor Puckett from Davidson spoke, was devoted to a discussion of Mecklenburg history. Members went as a group to Davidson College to see the college's production of *Galileo*.

A tour of the F.B.I. building, several speakers, and a fund-raising project for a scholarship were plans to be carried out.





A study of the "Basic Christian Truths" provided a fruitful year for the Bible Club. Meetings were held once each month, plus a few special meetings to plan projects. Members worked to promote Christian fellowship, study, and service. At Christmas, a program was held at the Mecklenburg Sanatorium; also, many gifts were distributed. The year was climaxed with an annual picnic.



Barbara Blythe, president, explained project plans to Brenda Buckley and Ann Knox.

## "Basic Christian Truths" Studied in Bible Club



Bible Club members discussed Bible passages at one of their monthly meetings. Members of the club present were Marsha Somers, Barbara Blythe, Miss Johnston, adviser; Judy Garrison, Jane Long, and Nancy Mundy.

## A.V. Members Provide Needed Service

A need for a better organized audio visual department was the basis of the A.V. Club. Members of this club volunteered to work during the period that they had study hall.

The services they performed included operating projectors and delivering and setting up equipment. Members of this new club performed much needed services for the busy faculty.



Lanny Bustle, Mike Rodman, Don Puckett, Billy Penninger, Joe Rogers, Howard McCoy were members of the newly formed A.V. Club.



Dramatics Club members watched as Becky White-  
ner arranged Martha Wood's hair. Other members  
were: FIRST ROW: Randy Wally, Sandra Mum-  
power. SECOND ROW: Phyllis Smith, Judy Gar-  
rison, Margaret Wood, Cheryl Nally. THIRD  
ROW: Reita Pendry, Sandy Wheaton, Marcia  
Perry, Ann Dunlap. FOURTH ROW: Elaine  
Smith, Barbara Blythe.

## Dramatics Club Active

Listening while Miss Rigney, Dramatics Club  
adviser, explained how to read their lines in a  
play were Margaret Wood and Sandy Wheaton.



For the first time in the history of North Mecklen-  
burg, we had a full-fledged Dramatics Club sponsored  
by Miss Rigney. The purpose of the club is to promote  
a better understanding of and appreciation for the fun-  
damentals of drama.

Throughout the year the club attended local play  
productions at Davidson College and Ovens Auditorium,  
participated in the Fall Festival, and in the early spring  
climaxed its efforts by participating in the Fine Arts  
Festival. Besides the actual production and attendance  
of plays, details of settings, costuming, and make-up  
were studied.

A properties collection including old furniture,  
clothes, and other needed articles was begun. Members  
joined their efforts to build a foundation for a bigger  
and better club in the future.

## Future Teachers of America



Miss Hopkins, FTA adviser, explains some of the aspects of  
teaching to Anna Pegram and Donelle Ranson.



Discussing their future plans as teachers were these members of  
the Future Teachers Club: Anna Pegram, Pamela Bullard, Pat  
Moore, Vernessa Woodrow, Dawn Hamilton, Donelle Ranson,  
Susan Allison, and Clarence Winkler.

Future Teachers' programs carried out the objective  
of the club, that of each member searching himself to find  
whether or not he would make a good teacher. In order to  
do this, discussions were carried on in meetings, and  
speakers were invited to give the group ideas about teach-  
ing. They carried out service projects during the year.





Some members of the Science Club were, FIRST ROW: Sherry Cline, Kathy Wood, Judy Stancil, Kerry Stroupe, Mr. Woodrow, Adviser. SECOND ROW: Diane Pope, Barbara Blythe, Vernessa

Woodrow, Deanne Little, Anita Dresser, Mrs. Hart, Adviser. THIRD ROW: Randy Wally, David Youngblood, Johnny Deaton, Billy Hough, and Steve Knowlton.

## Science Club Sponsors Science Fair

Mrs. Hart, adviser for the Science Club, looked at an interesting photograph with two Science Club members, Steve Knowlton, and Kerry Stroupe.

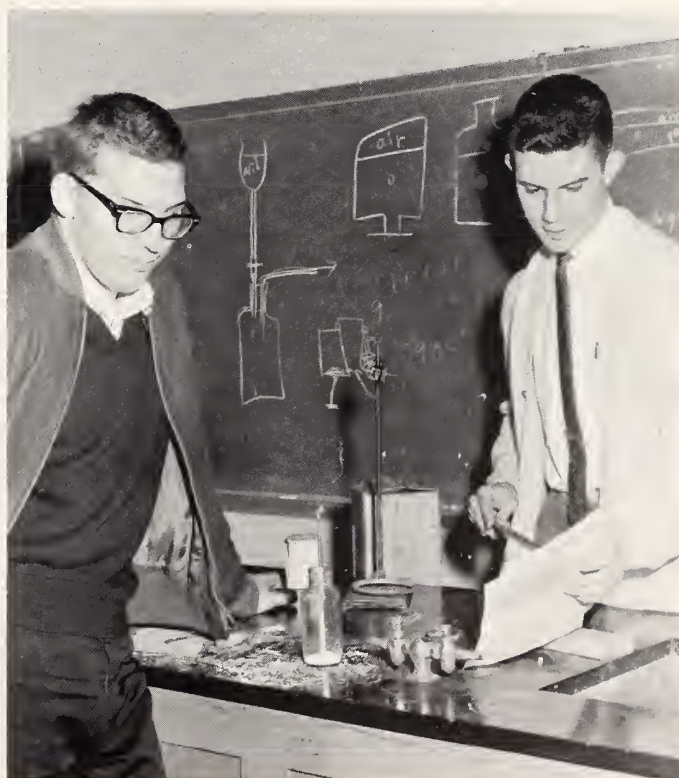


To stimulate an interest in all fields of science and to give students an opportunity to learn more about the phases of science that interest them most is the purpose of the Science Club.

The club met once a week. The Vice-President made arrangements for guest speakers, films, or demonstrations of scientific principles.

This year the Science Club planned field trips to various locations which were taken after school or on Saturdays. Among these field trips were the ones to the Celanese plant in Charlotte and the Air National Guard unit at Douglas Municipal Airport. To celebrate Christmas, members had a semi-formal dance.

Ernie Patterson and Bennett Setzer, members of the Science Club, discussed a gas-law problem.





Red Cross members worked with the County Red Cross in various projects. Members included Jane Bates, Vera de Moraes, Steve Norris, Ricky Williams, Pamela Bullard, and Dixie Cochran.



## Math And Red Cross Clubs Learn And Serve



Bennett Setzer and Rick Burts found the math problem amusing. Other Math Club members were: FIRST ROW: Joe Stafford, Gene Benfield. SECOND ROW: M. H. Talley, Pam Wilson, Anita Dresser, THIRD ROW: Billy Hough, Steve Knowlton and Al Frazier.

Though North's Red Cross Club did not officially organize during the year, interested students did what they could to keep the club alive and active at North. Three students represented the school at the monthly county council meetings and brought new ideas and ways to serve back to North.

Discussing and learning about various mathematical

ideas are activities of the Math Club. Members kept in mind that the purpose is to stimulate interest in mathematics. Under the direction of Mr. Peterson, the club met once a week to discuss topics not included in North's mathematics program; also, guest speakers were invited to lecture on selected topics.





FIRST ROW: Bill Steele, Frank Wike, Harvey Sloop, Tommy Allen, Eddie Jones. SECOND ROW: Wayne Carrier, Clarence Poe, Jimmy Springs, J. D. Wright, Edgar Johnson, Bonnie Laton, Peggy Neese, Frances Finger, Bobby Sneed, and Glenn Johnston. Mrs. Helton is the adviser.

## D.E. CLUB Sponsors Officers' Training Program

Tommy Allen and Ernie Small completed their informative bulletin board explaining the challenges and advantages offered in D.E.



Students from North and other schools listened intently as a program was presented by the Distributive Education Club concerning parliamentary procedure.

Sponsored by the D.E. Club, Mr. Gabriel taught a class in parliamentary procedure. The program was attended by students from almost all high schools in the county, as well as by North's Students.



The Distributive Education Club promotes greater interest in the classroom and the club; it develops leadership and promotes a feeling of responsibility toward the social welfare of our society through business activities. Although the club meets only once a month, members sponsored the Officers Training Program and Teachers Appreciation Day, decorated the car for the Carousel princess, and helped to promote and took part in a scholarship loan dance. They also attended the District and State Conventions and participated in student of the year job interview contests. In the spring a Bosses' Banquet with the other D.E. clubs of Charlotte and Mecklenburg county was held to honor employers. Meetings consisted of business, professional, and social sessions.





# French Week Arouses Interest In Language Study



Reita Pendry, Anna Pegram, Harriet Ashcraft, and Cherry Wagstaff, French II officers, made plans for French Week.

To supplement regular French classes through programs of enrichment in the culture and language of the French people is the purpose of the French Clubs. French II and French III classes participate in the meetings which are held once each month during regular class periods.

The biggest project of the year is French Week in the spring. The clubs sponsor a chapel program, morning devotions in French, and menus in the cafeteria written in French. A banquet is held at the end of the week where the students converse in French and sample French food. French Week develops a feeling of camaraderie among students, allows students to share their language experience with the student body, and arouses interest in language study.

French Laboratory students placed their luncheon order in French. Gene Benfield took orders from Bobby Barnhardt, Virginia Cornue, Rebecca Robinson, Dixie Cochrane, Barbara Overcash, and Georgeanna Mayhew.



Leading French II students in their skits and other activities were the following officers: Dixie Cochrane, Phyllis Wagner, Tommy Benfield, and Zoe Hough.







Members of the F.H.A. were, FIRST ROW: Jan Rozzelle, Janet Cherry, Reeve Taylor, Sherry Cline, Libby Sneed, Jeanne Kiker, Phyllis Smith, Judy Garrison, Linda Threatt, Martha Barnhardt, Sherry Collins. SECOND ROW: Mary Ball, Angie McKee, Margaret Johnson, Frances Mayberry, Nancy Mundy, Gail Sherrill, Pamela Bullard, Vicki Mullis, Barbara Kelly. THIRD ROW: Shelby Taylor, Barbara Carter, Martha Smith, Elaine Williams,

Edith Yaude, Dixie Cochrane, Linda Ritter. FOURTH ROW: Mrs. Ross (adviser), Pamela Wilson, Diane Rhyne, Gwen Whitley, Harriet Smith, Ann Knox, Jane Bates. FIFTH ROW: Mrs. Lilly (adviser), Jennie Holtzclaw, Peggy Culledge, Peggy Hoover, Jane Eakin, Alma Wallace, Becky Purser. SIXTH ROW: Jill Rozzelle, Becky Brasington, Jane Long, Marie Eury, Bernice Caldwell, Andra Williams, and Diane Sharpe.



Sara King, Gail Sherrill, and Dottie Markley prepared refreshments for the F. H. A. social after school.

Planning the Sadie Hawkins Dance was a great responsibility but also much fun for the F.H.A. officers. Discussing plans were Jeanne Kiker, Pamela Bullard, Jill Rozzelle, Jane Bates, Jane Eakin, and Dixie Cochrane.

## Rallies Attended By Interested Future Homemakers

Membership in the Future Homemakers of America Club is limited to those girls who are sincerely interested in homemaking. These girls promote and work toward a better family life for all.

Each year, one week is designated as F.H.A. Week. Members present morning devotions for the school, and flowers for the teachers. Centerpieces are placed on each table in the cafeteria.

North is represented by the F.H.A. Club each year in three different rallies. The district rally met at Wingate College and the state rally at Raleigh. The county rally was also attended.

The annual Sadie Hawkins Dance, sponsored by the F.H.A., was a success. Everyone had fun, and the club made money to help pay for a North Mecklenburg flag, presented to the school in May.







The Board of Directors of the club planned activities and guided the club in its projects. Johnny Wallace, President; Currie Johnston, Vice-President; Fred Kerr, Secretary; Bobby Beaver, Treasurer; Jimmy Poole, and Nelson Perry were members.

## Key Club Members Develop Initiative

The Key Club is a service club, striving through service to develop initiative and leadership and to promote better citizenship. Through their service, the members encourage justice, practice patriotism and good will, and seek better human relations.

Members of the North Mecklenburg Key Club are selected on a point system, based on academic and ath-

letic achievement, and an outstanding character. This year, twelve boys were tapped into the club.

The Mecklenburg Kiwanis Club sponsors the Key Club. Under the direction of Mr. Haynes, members participated in many projects, such as selling North Mecklenburg stickers.

Receiving the honor of membership in the Key Club were FIRST ROW: Don Goforth, Mac McKeown, Davis Crater, Bobby Beaver. SECOND ROW: Will Brown, Tommy Black, Nelson Perry, Jimmy Poole. THIRD ROW: Johnny Wallace, Larry Dunn,

Joe Rogers, Johnny Overcash. FOURTH ROW: Fred Kerr, Warren Porter, Steve Ferrell, Ronnie Norman. FIFTH ROW: Ned Williams, Jimmy Blythe, Currie Johnston, Jimmy Rice.







Members of the Hi-Y Club were:  
FIRST ROW: Gary Ashford, William Smith, Tommy Black, Roger Cathey, Jimmy Poole. SECOND ROW: Johnny Wallace, Bobby Armstrong, Davis Crater, Warren Porter, Darrell Hinson. THIRD ROW: Fred Kerr, Howard McCoy, Randy Taylor, Bobby Barnhardt, Johnny Overcash. FOURTH ROW: Larry Dunn, Buddy Kidd, Harold Frazier, Michael Whisenant. FIFTH ROW: Currie Johnston, Ned Williams, Mike Puckett, Mike Regans, Jimmy Blythe, Joe Rogers.

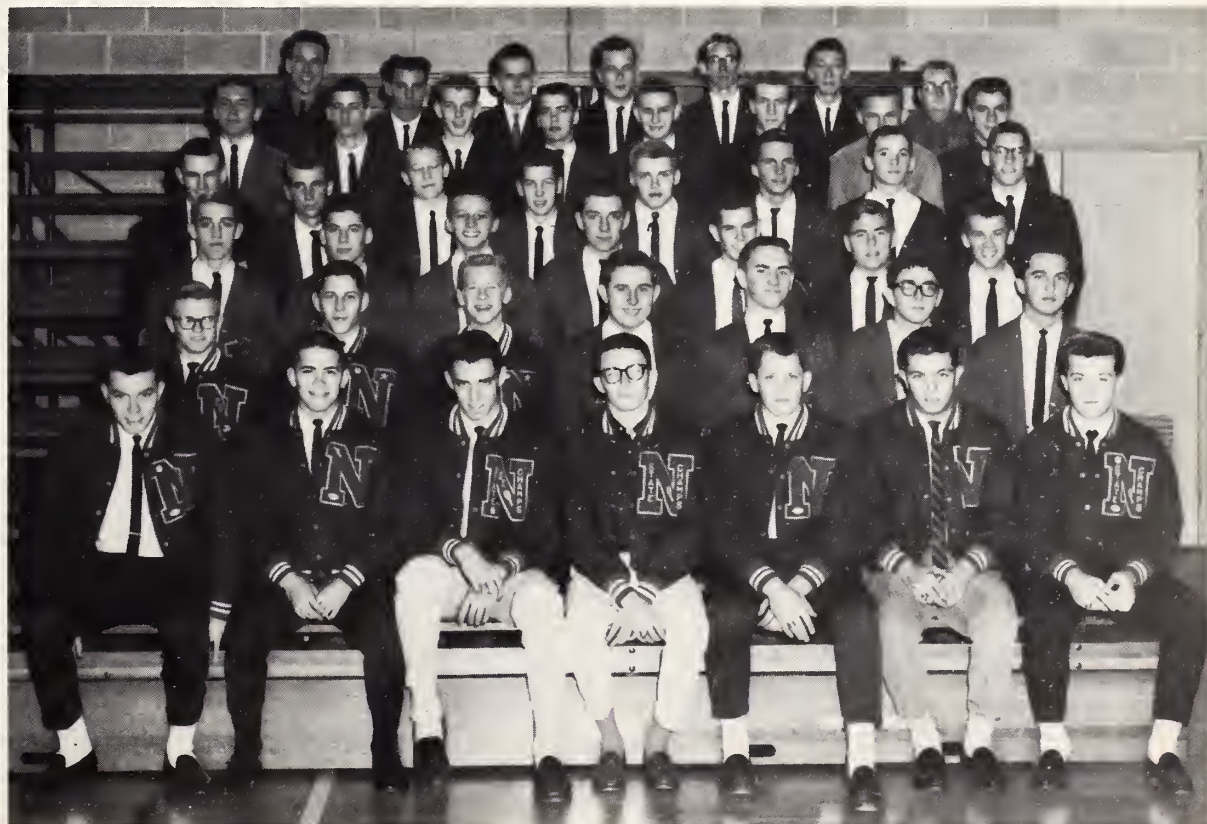
## Boys Learn Through Working Together

"To create, maintain, and extend throughout the home, school, and community, high standards of Christian character" is the purpose of the Hi-Y Club. Once a week the club meets at the Charlotte Central Young Men's Christian Association. Here North's Hi-Y basketball team competes with teams from other schools. The YMCA also sponsors an annual banquet for all Hi-Y Clubs of Mecklenburg County with a professional athlete as the guest speaker.

Winners of varsity letters in some sport at North compose the Monogram Club. Initiation was held at the end of the football season.

The main duty of the club is to organize and print the football programs which are sold at each home football game. The proceeds from these programs are used to buy letter jackets which each senior member is given. The club is also responsible for the concession stand in the gym during basketball games.

Members of the Monogram were:  
FIRST ROW: Johnny Moore, Bobby Barnhardt, Currie Johnston, Grover Meetze, Davis Crater, Jimmy Blythe, Jimmy Poole. SECOND ROW: Wayne Jones, Johnny Overcash, Tommy Blythe, Nelson Perry, Bobby Armstrong, Larry Dunn, Barry Cant. THIRD ROW: Jerry Hoke, Davie Jones, Mike Regans, Mickey Pharr, Charles Peterson, Jim Barnette, William Smith. FOURTH ROW: Johnny Wallace, Richard Raymer, Larry Cox, Scot Treadwell, Steve Ferrell, Mike Hicks, Vernie Case, Mike Rodman. FIFTH ROW: Douglas Bostic, Will Brown, Warren Porter, Randy Klouse, Fred Kerr, Pat Kerns, Don Dudley, Ricky Hyman. SIXTH ROW: Steve Norris, Gary Phillips, Gary Ashford, Tommy Black, Wayne Cline, Mac McKeown and Earl Shook.







Joe Hamilton patiently waited for his students to board the bus.

All bus drivers were carefully chosen according to their citizenship, skill in driving, and knowledge of traffic rules. Each student who applies for his bus license is first given a written test of his knowledge of traffic laws. If he passes this test, he is given a road test to prove his driving skill. The applicant is then issued his bus license, provided he has passed these tests and has a good citizenship record. When the student becomes a bus driver, he accepts the responsibility for the life of every student on his bus.

## Bus Drivers Pass Rigid Tests

Driving buses to North was a regular task for, **FIRST ROW:** Ann McAulav, Jane McConnell, Nancy Secrest, Corinne Dotger, Vernie Donaldson. **SECOND ROW:** Jay Snider, Jean Harington, Janet Cherry, Conrad Wilson, Gary Ashford. **THIRD ROW:** Joe Hamilton, Randy Collins, Billy Wilson, Ned Williams, Robert Westmoreland, and Franklin Nance.



Buses were driven to the feeder schools and Alexander by, **FIRST ROW:** Sherrie Saunders, Billie Jean Long. **SECOND ROW:** Marian Eubanks, Judy Whitlow, Brenda Thrower, Becky Whitener. **THIRD ROW:** Leonard Nance, Douglas Elliot, Diane Miller. **FOURTH ROW:** Robert Parks, Lanny Bustle, Darrell Hinson. **FIFTH ROW:** Carl Alexander, Tommy Manning, Tommy Benheld, and Danny McGraw.

Others included, **FIRST ROW:** Carol Thomas, Carolyn Crump. **SECOND ROW:** Tommy Hastings, Lindsey Keith. **THIRD ROW:** Don Puckett, Howard Hillman, Craven Oehler. **FOURTH ROW:** Jimmy Bumgarner, and Barry Chapman.







Members of G.A.A. were, FIRST ROW: Marsha Henry, Paulette Kidd, Vicki Baker, Jean Long, Donna Trull, Patricia Black, Linda Nelson, Susan Allison, Faye Wilborn, SECOND ROW: Vicki Wagner, Mary Jane Thomas, Kay Ashley, Phyllis Wagner, Mildred Hope, Sherrie Saunders, Janice Griffin, Lula King, THIRD ROW: Rebecca Robinson, Marie Morgan, Dianne Knox, Mar-

sha Somers, Nancy Rogers, Patricia Williams, Terry Marrow, Margaret Johnson. FOURTH ROW: Jennie Holtzclaw, Nancy Moody, Anita Mandracchia, Carol Woodall, Nancy Mundy, Treasa LaFear, Kitty Metcalf, Junie Sparks. FIFTH ROW: Jenneane Young, Ann Thompson, Martha Greene, Linda Threatt, Becky Purser, Phyllis Snodgrass, and Marie Pope.



Looking over their bowling scores, the champion G. A. A. Bowling Team, composed of Jean Long, Kitty Metcalf, Nancy Moody, Jennie Holtzclaw, and Nancy Rogers, was pleased.

## G.A.A. Girls Attend Meets

Furthering health, sportsmanship, and school spirit were aims of the Girls' Athletic Association. Since North has no program for girls' competitive sports, the club was formed for those girls wanting to take an active part in athletics.

Points were awarded for participation in games and practices and for attendance at meetings. A girl became a voting member after she had earned twenty-five points and had paid her dues. The girls were awarded their G.A.A. letters after earning two hundred points. The Association met once a week except during the months of intramurals when they met and practiced twice a week. Members participated in field days and play days. They also attended the State G.A.A. meeting.



Marsha Henry, Susan Allison, Martha Greene, Nancy Moody, Anita Mandracchia, Mildred Hope, Dianne Knox, Nancy Rogers, made up the G.A.A. basketball team.





Directing the F. F. A. in their activities were the following officers: FIRST ROW: Lee Daugherty, Secretary; Ned Williams, President; Richard Raymer, Vice-President. SECOND ROW: Jimmy Bungarner, Sentinel; Robert Westmoreland, Treasurer; and E. H. Cook, Reporter.

## Future Farmers Compete In Contests

Future Farmers of America carry on in their club work the things they learn in class. To encourage members' interest, judging teams are formed, and these teams compete with teams in the county, district, and state. Most of the members work toward becoming a member of a team as there are seven different contest teams. These are Parliamentary Practice, Public Speaking, Dairy

Judging, Beef and Swine Judging, Tool Identification, and Land Use and Capability.

Members of the F. F. A. learn now methods of scientific farming and study the problems facing the farmer today. Operations and maintenance of various farm machinery are also studied. Mr. Gabriel and Mr. Meacham advised the club.



Studying for the cattle judging contests was serious business for Craven Oehler and Richard Raymer.





Practicing incessantly, the band prepared for ball game appearances and the annual band concert.

## Fund Raising Campaign Success

For the past two years the bands of North and Alexander have combined to form the North High Band, making it possible to have a marching band. Activities for the year included performing at all the football games, attending State contests held at Hickory and Greensboro, and performing in Spring concerts. The band has been involved in fund raising campaigns to raise money for the purchase of uniforms. This was a success and new uniforms arrived in March.

Each band member must have two or more years of study before coming to North and must reach a certain degree of proficiency on his instrument. He is expected to attend all band functions throughout the year.

During Mr. Phillips' absence, Ben Fincher led the band at a pep rally.



Softly, softly directs Mr. Phillips as the band learns a new number.







The sock hop provided an enjoyable ending to the Fall Festival.

## P.T.A. Sponsors Fall Festival



The inseparable Woods twins sang "Side by Side" in the Fall Festival Talent Show. Terrye Edwards accompanied them.



Parent-Teacher Association at North has always been a busy, productive organization working for the betterment of the school. A great deal of planning goes into each year's activities, and new and better ways to perform various tasks are sought. Much of this behind-the-scenes work is done by the Executive Board, who also chose and put into effect this year's theme — "Building Together at North High".

One of the most important activities, and the only fund-raising project of the year, was the annual Fall Festival. Here students, teachers, and parents met for fun and fellowship. A supper was served in the cafeteria, which was followed by a Talent Show put on by students. The program ended with a sock hop in the gym.

To help parents, teachers, and students become better acquainted, the P.T.A. sponsors the Sophomore Reception at the first of the year. A Senior Reception is given for seniors, their parents, and teachers before graduation.

Susan Tilley played an original composition, which won for her first place in the Fall Festival talent show.





Much of the work of the P. T. A. was done by the president, Mrs. Thomas Trythall. She was in charge of all business meetings.

## P.T.A. Holds Receptions



Enjoying the Sophomore Reception, sponsored by the P. T. A., were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Snodgrass, Mrs. Harry, Mrs. Hope, Mrs. Pigg, and Mrs. Taylor.

Pam Rice and her mother helped themselves to the delicious refreshments served at the Sophomore Reception.

Second place winner in the Fall Festival Talent Show was Zoe Hough, who played and sang folk songs.



The talkative receiving line at the Sophomore Reception included Miss Merrill, Mrs. Holtzclaw, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Daggy, Miss Shaw, Vera de Moraes, and Mrs. Hart.







Mr. Richard Comegys, Mrs. Martha Evans, Dr. Charles Ratliff, Mr. Frank Carlucci and Dr. David Cole "socialized" at Howard Johnson's Restaurant before the Symposium.

Dr. David W. Cole, Dr. Charles E. Ratliff, Jr., Mrs. Martha Evans, Mr. Frank C. Carlucci, and Richard W. Comegys, moderator, made up the panel for the Symposium.



## Symposium - The First In State

"New Directions In International Relations" was the theme of the J. Walton Wilson Symposium—first in any state high school. The Symposium was sponsored by North's P.T.A., the Derita Woman's Club, and the Huntersville Woman's Club. Speakers were Mrs. Martha Evans, Instructor of International Relations and Political Science at U.N.C.; Mr. Frank C. Carlucci, officer in charge of Congolese Political Affairs, Department of State, Washington, D.C.; Dr. David C. Cole, professor of History at High Point College; and Dr. Charles E. Ratliff, Jr., Professor of Economics, Davidson College. Richard E. Comegys, from WBT, was moderator.

The Symposium was held Thursday night, October 18, 1962, as the regular P.T.A. program. After the program, written questions from the floor were submitted to the speakers. Assembly was held the next day for the benefit of all social studies students. Mr. Frank Carlucci spoke and answered questions on international relations.

Miss Eleanor Rigney was chairman of the Symposium Committee. The planning and hard work of this first symposium became the basis for future symposiums, for this will become an annual affair for North. Each year a different topic will be emphasized.



North's Symposium Program was dedicated to Dr. J. Walton Wilson, former Superintendent of Mecklenburg County Schools, because "truly he is a good and unselfish citizen, serving especially the youth of Mecklenburg County."

Miss Eleanor Rigney, chairman of the Symposium Committee introduced the speakers. Other committee members were Mrs. Oliver Ranson, Miss Billy Carnes, Mrs. John Walters, Mrs. Richard Burts, faculty members Mrs. Daggy, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Mott, Mrs. Troutman, and Mr. Jones.





# FEATURES







VERA LUCIA FIUZA de MORAES

## A.F.S. Student Becomes Active Participant

One of the most welcome newcomers at North this year was our exchange student from Brazil, Vera Moraes. Through the American Field Service, Vera arrived in September and lived with Jane Bates and her family. She quickly entered into school activities with enthusiasm.

Vera, now 18, was born in Rio de Janeiro; but later moved to Fortaleza, a city of 600,000 people. Other than her parents and her 21-year-old brother, Vera missed most her daily swims and two-hour siestas after lunch. Upon her return Vera will study philosophy at the University of Ceara.



Vera and Allen Shepard were only two of the many old and new Rebels who enjoyed the Homecoming dance.

Vera and her American "sister", Jane Bates, find a moment to chat on their way to class.







Zoe Hough was honored for outstanding service.

## DAR Recognizes Outstanding Citizen

Because of her outstanding achievements, both in the school and the community, Zoe Hough was chosen for the DAR Citizenship Award by the faculty. Since first coming to North, Zoe has whole heartedly entered into all phases of school life. She was state runner-up in

the "I Speak for Democracy" contest in her sophomore year; she was the first girl to be president of any class at North; she has held offices in many clubs and was secretary of the Student Council her senior year.





Representing North as Senior Miss Hi Miss and Junior Miss Hi Miss, respectively, were Marcia Perry and Mildred Hope.

## Miss Hi Misses Entertained At Winthrop

This year for the first time, North selected not only a Senior but also a Junior Miss Hi Miss to represent the school at Winthrop College in April. Candidates were considered on the basis of their scholastic ability, citizenship, leadership, and personality. Marcia Perry was chosen Senior representative; Mildred Hope, Junior representative.

After arriving at Winthrop, the girls attended a

supper in the dining room, followed by entertainment by the Winthrop Theatre and an informal reception. Saturday's schedule included a short assembly, tours of Winthrop and Rock Hill, a picnic, a movie, and another informal party. On Sunday the Miss Hi Misses attended church services in Rock Hill. Miss Hi Miss Weekend came to a close following dinner on Sunday.





## Miss North Mecklenburg Billie Jean Long

It was indeed a thrill and an honor to be chosen Miss North Mecklenburg. Excitement mounted as the time drew near to meet the other Princesses at the Queen Charlotte Hotel on Thanksgiving Eve. There Billie Jean Long attended the many activities planned for the girls from the two Carolinas. Luncheons, the Carousel Ball, and the chilling ride in the parade on Thanksgiving Day were among the things that made it a memorable experience.

Billie Jean was chosen by the student body after a run-off election. About ten girls were nominated by the students, and the voting took place after the girls were introduced to the student body at assembly. She represented North at the Carolinas Carousel as Princess North Mecklenburg.



As the crown was placed on her head by the Carousel Representative, Billie Jean Long was overcome with joy and excitement.

The Carousel Representative praised Billie Jean's beauty while she blushingly waited to give her thanks to the student body for choosing her as Miss North Mecklenburg.

Anxiously awaiting the beginning of the parade, Billie Jean shivered in the high wind that later played havoc with her hair and the car's decorations.





# Senior Boys Choose Sponsors



Davis Crater chose Terrye Edwards; Johnny Grice. Kay Ashley.

Bobby Barnhardt selected Lynn Neal as his sponsor.



Dixie Cochrane sponsored Currie Johnston; Brenda Roberts, Johnny Wallace; Pat Barkley, Jimmy Poole; Jackie Comfort, Junior Fincher.



Earl Shook was sponsored by Pat Williams; Sandra Mumpower sponsored Tommy Black; Martha Greene. Vernon Knox (not pictured) but was escorted by Don Puckett; Tommy Blythe chose Vicki Baker.

Grover Meetze selected Wanda Kidd; Pat Kerns, Donelle Ranson; Dianne Skipper sponsored Johnny Overcash.







Terrye was presented with one dozen American Beauty roses after she was crowned.

Crowning Terrye brought back memories for the 1961 Queen, Donna Sellers.



## Homecoming Queen Reigns at Dance.

Senior football players and managers, senior captains of other teams and the president of the senior class each choose a girl from the student body as sponsor at the Homecoming activities. From these sponsors the Homecoming Queen was elected.

This year sponsors were escorted onto the field during half-time activities. An excited crowd grew quiet as they waited for the announcement of the winner. Quiet gave way to laughter and astonishment when a boy's name was mistakenly called as queen. All was right again, however, when "The Homecoming Queen for 1962—Miss Terrye Edwards" rang through the stands. Terrye reigned at the Homecoming game as well as at the dance on the following night.





Much preparation and hard work was rewarded by the large crowd that attended the dance.



## Homecoming Dance Best Yet

The exciting climax to Homecoming Week came on Saturday night with the annual Homecoming Dance. This was the first big dance of the season. The excitement of sophomores attending their first big dance at North as full fledged Rebels coupled with the eagerness of juniors and seniors to greet old graduates made the night a huge success and one long remembered by all.







The twist was still "the" dance among the students.

## Fall Festival: Fun and a Service

Each year the P.T.A. plans various projects to raise funds. Among the most enjoyed and most enthusiastically entered into is the Fall Festival. Students, teachers and parents all entered into the activities.

Days before the festival, homerooms nominated

candidates for king and queen. Each vote was a penny and plenty of vigorous campaigning went on as the deadline for final voting drew near. The ones receiving the most votes were crowned the night of the festival by the runners-up.



Runner-up Earl Bowers crowned Ricky Williams, King; then Joyce Leazer was crowned by Carol Seymour.





Marshals who ushered at the commencement exercises were, FIRST ROW: Catherine Seay, Zoe Hough, Mimy Martin, Judi Powell, Cherry Wagstaff. SECOND ROW: Davis Crater, Tommy Benfield, Currie Johnston, and Jimmy Poole.

## They Led: They Served

Each year the ten juniors with the highest averages in their class are chosen as marshals for commencement, when they serve as ushers at the graduation activities. The two juniors with the highest scholastic averages lead the procession of seniors at the Baccalaureate and the Graduation Exercises.

It is indeed an honor to be selected as a marshal, for in this way the hard work and study of those students maintaining the highest averages in the junior class is recognized.

Having been chosen by the American Legion and its Auxiliary, four rising senior girls and four rising senior boys attended Girls' State and Boys' State respectively. The girls went to the W.C.U.N.C. campus, while the boys went to U.N.C. for a week.

There they made politics live, as each group, along with other students, learned how the government works. They formed political parties, held elections, organized cities and carried on vigorous campaigns. A well-planned recreational program offered relaxation and fun.

Students representing North at Girls' and Boys' State were Mary Kay Davis, Dixie Cochrane, Joe Rogers, Virginia Cornue, Johnny Wallace, Bobby Beaver, Currie Johnston, and Jane McConnell.







Currie Johnston and Mimy Martin discussed scholarships.

Bringing honor and prestige to North High were two outstanding seniors. Currie Johnston was among six nominees chosen as finalists for the 1963 Morehead Scholarships at U. N. C. Among other things, he was selected on the basis of academic standing—fourth in his class; his work as a Student Council Member and as a Class President, as well as his membership in the Key Club, the National Honor Society, and the Monogram Club in which he lettered in tennis, cross-country, and basketball.

Mimy Martin received a Certificate of Merit awarded in recognition of her high performance in the Merit Scholarship program. This is a distinction won by fewer than 11,000 students, one half of one per cent of the secondary school seniors in the nation. Mimy ranks number one in her class.

JANE BATES

Named by the National Council of Teachers of English in its annual Achievement Awards Competition, Zoe Hough became the only Charlotte-Mecklenburg student to receive such an award this year. Zoe was one of six students in the state and one of 870 outstanding students of English in the nation to be thus recognized.

Last spring she took a test to determine her knowledge and use of the English language and to determine her insight into literature. She also wrote an original story, "The Ball." Zoe received a Scroll of Recognition and North's English Department was given a Certificate of Merit.



## Outstanding Ability Recognized

Any senior girl was eligible to take the test in competition for the Betty Crocker Homemakers Award, and many did so. Named as the winner of this award at North was Jane Bates, who will also be entered in national competition. Jane has earned many awards in 4-H work and is now Vice-President of the F. H. A. at North.

BENNETT SETZER

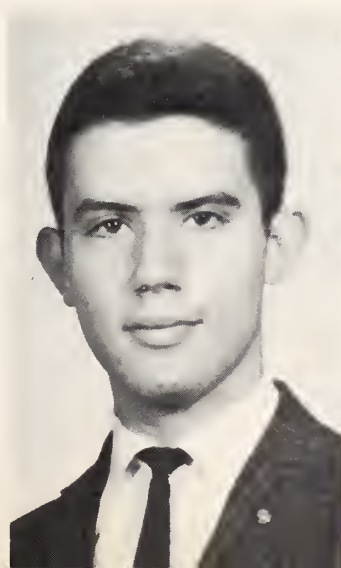
VICKIE WAGNER.



ZOE HOUGH

Placing first at North in the National High School Mathematics Contest was Bennett Setzer. His score was fourth highest in the state. In recognition of his achievement, Bennett was awarded a pin, and the Middle Atlantic Actuarial Club presented him with a math book for being in the top ten in the state. The school also received a set of math books.

Participating in the "I Speak for Democracy" contest were three Sophomore English classes. Each student wrote a theme of "What Freedom Means to Me." The three best speeches were presented in assembly. Vickie Wagner won first place and received a plaque from WSOC, who made a tape of her speech and entered it in state competition.







*BEST CITIZEN*  
*Joe Rogers — Phyllis Wagner*



*MOST ATHLETIC*  
*Junior Fincher — Jean Long*

*MOST DEPENDABLE*  
*Judy Stancil — Tommy Black*

## Superlatives

*MOST INTELLECTUAL*  
*Mimmy Martin — Johnny Blackman*







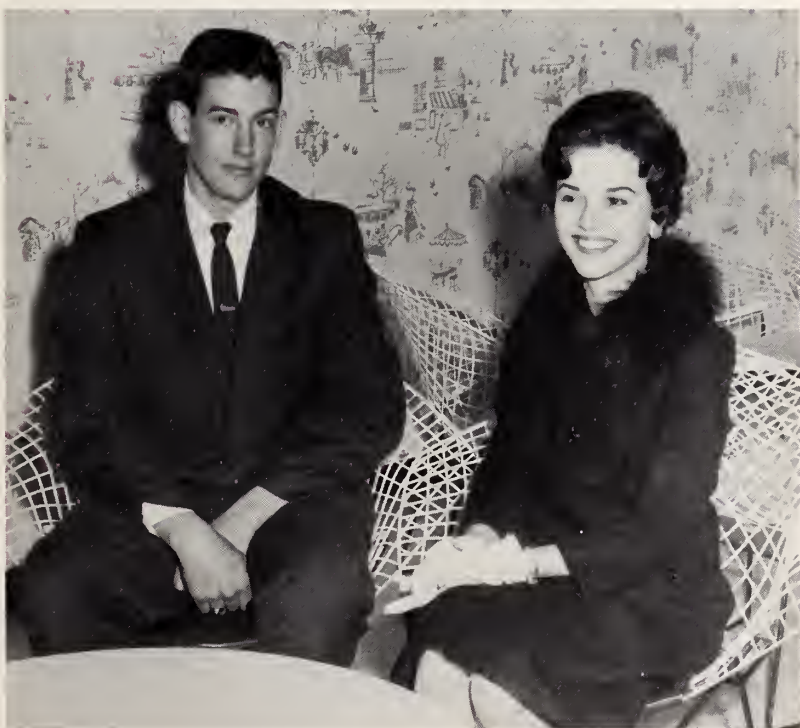
*MOST SINCERE*  
*Johnny Grice — Corinne Dotger*



*BEST ALL ROUND*  
*Currie Johnston — Terry Edwards*

Superlatives are chosen by the senior class each year. Class members meet in the auditorium and nominate students for each superlative. A student may be nominated for any number of superlatives, but he must decide upon two that he wishes to run for. He may be elected to only one however. If he should win two, he has to choose the one he prefers.

*MOST FRIENDLY*  
*Don Puckett — Billie Jean Long*



*MOST CREATIVE*  
*Jerry Neal — Don Dudley*





# Superlatives



*MOST COOPERATIVE*  
*Johnny Wallace — Donelle Ranson*

*MOST OUTSTANDING*  
*Davis Crater — Zoe Hough*



*MOST TALENTED*  
*Becky Whitener — Vic Brown*

*BEST PERSONALITY*  
*Terry Williams — Vicki Baker*







**WITTIEST**  
*Linda Nelson — Randy Taylor — Cris Owens*



**MOST COURTEOUS**  
*Gwen Whitley — Nelson Perry*



**BEST LOOKING**  
*Jimmy Poole — Sandra Hill*

**MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED**  
*Bobby Beaver — Reita Pendry*







## Junior-Senior Highlights Year



The scene became that of a vision as couples filled the dance floor at Radio Center.

March marked the long awaited social event of the year, the Junior-Senior Prom. Committees headed by the Junior Class officers, Currie Johnston, Johnny Wallace, Billie Jean Long, and Joe Rogers, worked from early spring to make the dance a success. St. Patrick's Day theme was carried out in colorful decorations. For Seniors the event marked the end of a wonderful three years at North; the Juniors dreamed of the time when they would be the honored guests.





# SPORTS







Members of the football squad included, FIRST ROW: Douglas Bostic, Jimmy Poole, Johnny Overcash, Fred Lothery, Charles Peterson, Jerry Hoke, Jim Barnette, Tommy Black, Bobby Barnhardt, Marc Roberts, William Smith. SECOND ROW: Ronnie Norman, Don Pope, Junior Dover, Vernon Knox, Gary Phillips, Mike Regans, Pat Kerns, Bob Wheeler, Lee Daugherty, Richard Raymer,

David Jones, Davis Crater, Johnny Cashion. THIRD ROW: Ralph Mangle, Johnny Grice, James Long, Mike Hicks, Dennis Mosley, Carl Burleson, Rick Black, Roger Cathey, Bob Shanholtz, Danny Hudson, Bob Harry, Mickey Pharr, Moe White, Johnny Moore, Mike Gant, and Van Sasser.

## School Spirit Sparks Winning Football Team

What a season! It didn't seem possible, for just two years ago North was bogged down in a 17-game losing streak, a rut which resulted in the school pulling out of the Western 4-A Conference. But when the Rebels put their togs away this year, they had far more to show for the season than scarred helmets, torn jerseys, and worn cleats. They looked back with pride on the best campaign in nine years of competition.

This year North celebrated its first football win over a city school, rolling over Harding 20-7. In nine games North racked up 232 points and allowed such opponents as East (only team to beat the Rebels), Harding, Lincolnton, and Statesville just 69. Getting out of the conference and creating a new will to win under a new coach, a pass-happy quarterback, four splendid pass receivers, and a fired-up team sparked the reformation.



Looking over the statistics of the first three games made Head Coach Mack Haynes and Coaches Ratteree, Ross, and Glendenning smile at the prospect of a very good record for the year.





Having been chosen the Most Valuable Player, Jimmy Poole was presented a trophy by Coach Haynes. Poole sparked the pro-type offense, used for the first time this year by the Rebs, and made it operate with an impact.

Chosen for the Best Sportsmanship Award, Tommy Black led the rushing with 485 yards in 70 carries and grabbed 14 passes for two scores.

#### FOOTBALL STATISTICAL CHART 1962

Won 7 - Lost 1 - Tied 1  
Scored 232 Points to Opponents 65

##### PASSING

Name	Attempted	Completed	Yards	TD
Jimmy Poole	153	71	1,336	21

##### PASS RECEIVING

	No. Caught	Yards	TD
Junior Fincher	21	565	9
Tommy Black	14	166	2
Gary Phillips	10	256	7
Johnny Overcash	11	109	0
Mike Regans	7	71	1
Jerry Hoke	6	119	2
Lee Daugherty	2	25	0
Jimmy Poole	1	25	0

##### EXTRA POINTS

Overcash	21 Points Scored	34 Attempted
Barnhardt	1 Point Scored	1 Attempted

##### RUSHING

	No. Carries	Yards	Ave.	TD
Tommy Black	70	485	6.9	2
Johnny Overcash	69	373	5.7	5
Jimmy Poole	40	260	6.5	2
Junior Fincher	13	182	14.0	5
Jerry Hoke	13	46	3.5	
Lee Daugherty	7	8	1.1	
William Smith	4	31	7.7	
Bob Shanholtz	1	3	3.0	
Ronnie Norman	1	14	14.0	

Rushing Yards	1,402
Passing Yards	1,336
Total	2,738

#### SCOREBOARD

North 14	South 14
North 47	Catholic 0
North 39	Belmont 0
North 20	Harding 7
North 0	East 12
North 24	Statesville 20
North 33	West 12
North 7	Lincolnton 0
North 49	Lowell 0

Number 33, Junior Fincher, received the congratulations of his teammates after an 80-yard touchdown run from kick-off.





Johnny Overcash (12) carried the ball for a first down for North in the North-West game.



Jimmy Poole (16) ran around right end for yardage with West in pursuit.

## Rebs Roll To Victory . . .



JIMMY POOLE  
Quarterback

SMITTY SMITH  
Defensive Back



Managers Earl Shook and Tommy Blythe served the team well, seeing that everything was in order and helping where they could.





Backfield team members were FIRST ROW: Norman, Daugherty, Hoke, Lothery. SECOND ROW: Barnhardt, Pope, Black, Overcash, and Roberts.



Regans, Raymer, Phillips, Kerns, and Moore played end.

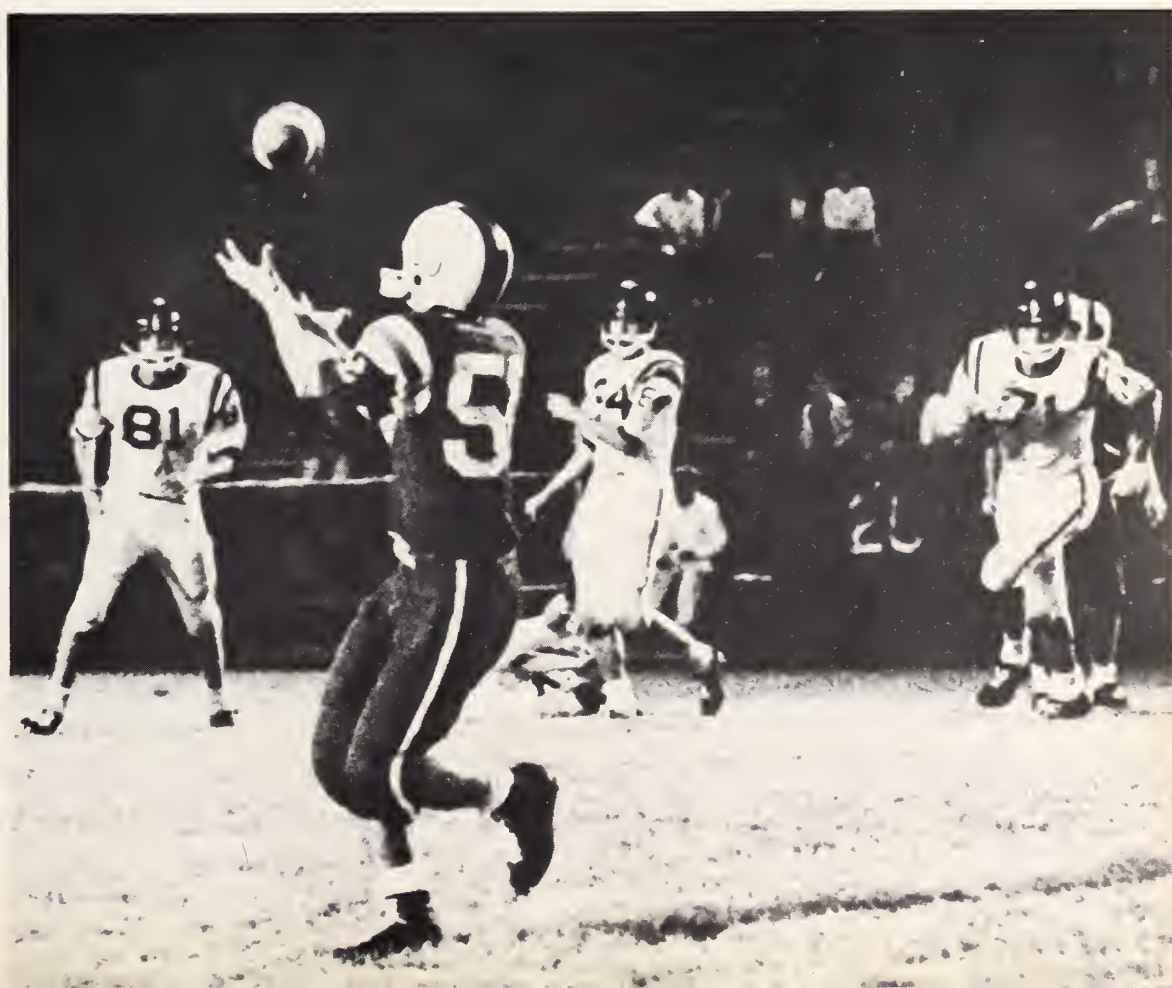
Good playing and good sportsmanship—that's a combination that is hard to beat . . . and North had plenty of both in football this year. Students will not soon forget the games and the joy and excitement that prevailed.

After tying South in a penalty-ridden game, North came back to beat Catholic with Poole throwing four touchdown passes and running for a fifth score. Black, Fincher, Hoke, and Overcash also scored. Against Belmont the Rebs rolled up 400 yards and chalked up 19 first downs, but that was just the beginning.

Harding bit the dust under the flashy, swift-striking plays of the Rebs to give North its first victory over Harding. Only eight plays after the game began, North scored when end Gary Phillips gathered in a Poole pass and sprinted into the end zone. The play had started on the Ram 49. Lightning struck just as fast for the next Rebel score. Jerry Hoke took a Harding punt on his own 35, cut laterally across the field while picking up his blocking beautifully, and jetted to the Ram one.

After a loss, Poole rifled a pass into the end zone that Phillips, though surrounded by Rams, grabbed, and it was 13-0, North. The final North score came after three Poole passes and a run by Hoke had accounted for 59 yards. Poole sneaked over from the one for the touchdown. Oh, it was a great game!

## Over Harding



North end Gary Phillips gathered in a pass from quarterback Jim Poole in the end zone during the game against Harding for the Rebels' second score. North won, 20-7.





Lee Daugherty (22) relaxed for a few minutes along with other players on the bench.

Manager Shook was on the job every second of the game.



The Rebs moved for a short gain against West.



Wheeler, Gant, Hicks, Crater, Grice and Mangle played tackle.





# Season's Record In Football

## Best Yet

East handed North its first defeat of the year with a score of 12-0. But the Rebs were not ready to give up; they came right back to win over Statesville, 24-20. Poole passed for four touchdowns. Fincher gathered in two passes for scores, while Phillips and Black accounted for the other two.

Fincher starred at Homecoming against West. He pulled in 13 of 17 passes for a total gain of 416 yards. The entire Reb rooting section went wild when Fincher gathered in a punt and returned the ball 80 yards for a touchdown. He also scored three other touchdowns, with Black charging over for the last in the first half.

North's Rebs handed Lincolnton its first loss after seven wins. The defense led by Johnny Moore, Bob Barnhardt, Bob Shanholtz, and David Jones performed at its best, as North was threatened only once when the Wolves moved to the five-yard line where a fumble ended the drive. To close a good season, North romped to a 49-0 victory over Lowell, making the record for the year 7-1-1. Victory was sweet!



Guards were, FIRST ROW: Bostic, Sasser, Dover, SECOND ROW: Pharr, Jones, and Knox.



Touchdown, North!



Barnette and Peterson were centers.



Garinger's number 35 didn't stop a Poole shot—2 points North.



## Hard Driving Rebel Offense Highlights Season

North didn't play a conference schedule in football, but everyone knew the Rebs were in conference basketball competition. For the first time since the Western 4-A Conference was organized in 1959, the Rebels became a serious threat to the rest of the conference. Teamwork highlighted a spirited season as the Rebels took on the best the area had to offer and proved themselves worthy of their improved ranking in the Western Conference.

Under the guidance of Coach Pigg, North opened

its basketball season with two big wins over Charlotte Catholic. With new found confidence, North made it three wins and no defeats, as the Rebels downed Ashley 53-43. By beating Asheville, rated as one of the strongest teams in the conference, 61-44, the Rebels proved themselves to be a real threat. North defeated unbeaten East 50-48 in one of the most thrilling ball games of the season. The Rebels' five straight victories over some of the best teams in the conference threw them into a tie for first place with Myers Park.

JOHNNY WALLACE



JOHNNY OVERCASH

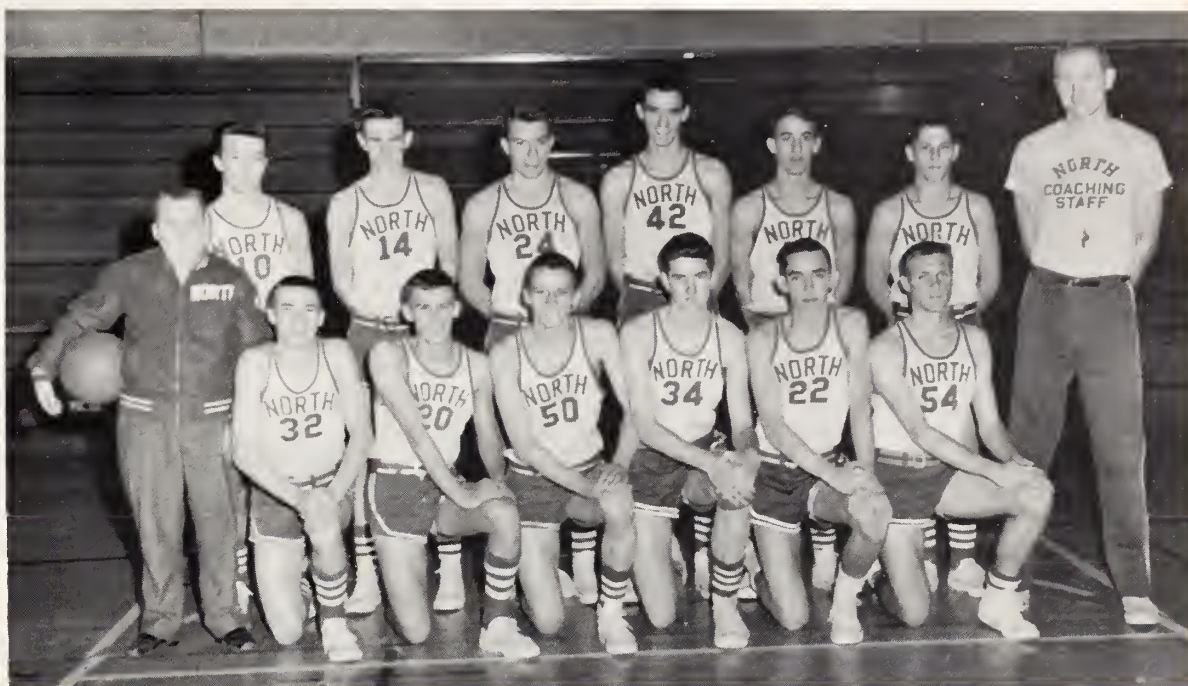


JIMMY POOLE





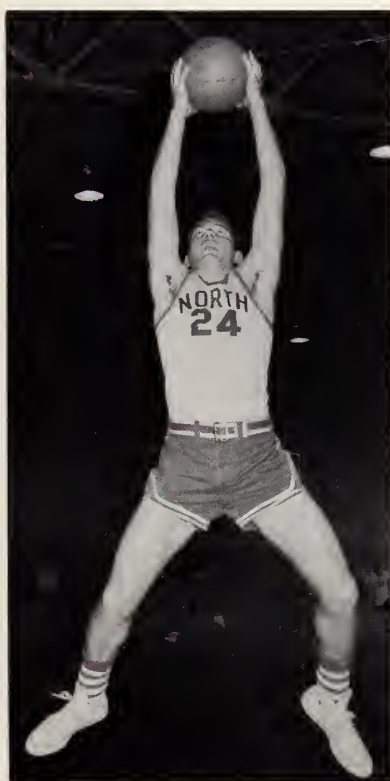
Playing on the Varsity basketball team were, FIRST ROW: Earl Shook, Manager; Lanny Correll, William Smith, Mike Regans, Ronnie Hoover, Buddy Skinner, Johnny Ladd. SECOND ROW: Jimmy Poole, Johnny Wallace, Johnny Moore, Currie Johnston, Jerry Hoke, Johnny Overcash, and Coach Everette Pigg.



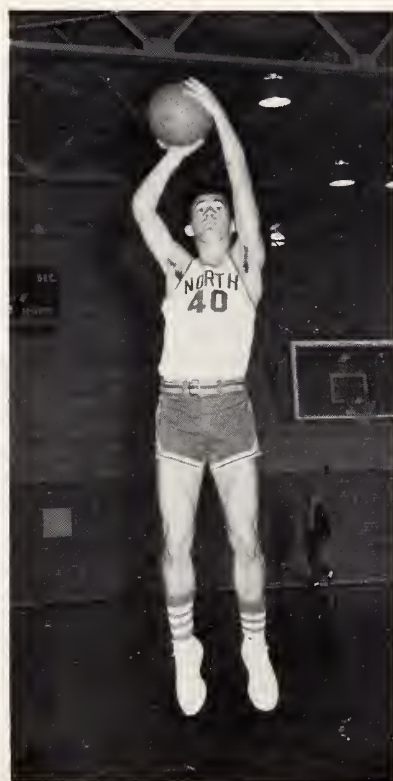
The Rebs, however, experienced a mid-season let down, and found themselves on the losing end in the next seven games, but with pride and sureness they came back to beat a powerful East team with ease. The Rebels ended the season with a much improved record.

The sureness with which the team maneuvered on

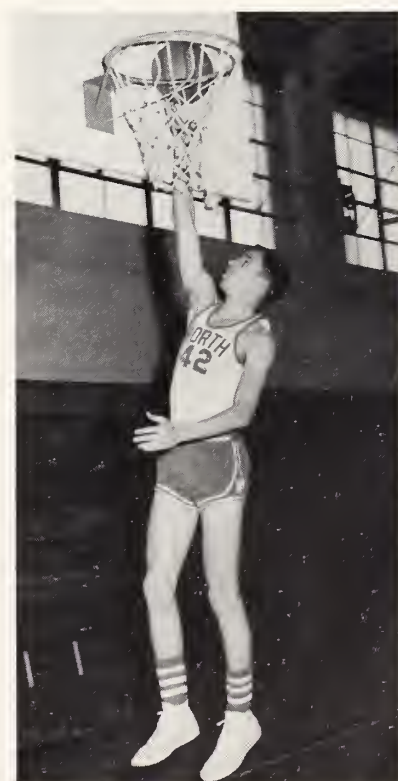
the court demonstrated vast improvement over last year. The patterns they worked also reflected the seasoning that took place during the previous year's schedule. Even though sharpshooters Currie Johnston, Jimmy Poole, Johnny Overcash, and rebounder Johnny Moore will be graduating this year, a strong team will be returning next year, and an even better record is expected.



JOHNNY MOORE



JERRY HOKE



CURRIE JOHNSTON





The crowd watched tensely as Johnston passed in to Poole.

## North Varsity Shows Winning Spirit

North's Johnny Moore, and Currie Johnston fight for the rebound against Garinger.



### VARSITY BASKETBALL SCOREBOARD

NORTH 56	CATHOLIC 39
NORTH 66	CATHOLIC 42
NORTH 53	GASTONIA 45
NORTH 61	ASHEVILLE 44
NORTH 50	EAST 48
NORTH 59	HARDING 52
NORTH 49	GARINGER 59
NORTH 65	WEST 77
NORTH 35	MYERS PARK 61
NORTH 41	SOUTH 49
NORTH 37	GASTONIA 40
NORTH 71	ASHEVILLE 74
NORTH 56	MYERS PARK 69
NORTH 65	EAST 47
NORTH 67	HARDING 54
NORTH 45	GARINGER 50
NORTH 53	WEST 63
NORTH 55	SOUTH 57



During a North timeout, Coaches Pigg and Glendenning gave the Rebels a quick word of instruction.





Playing Junior Varsity Basketball were (First Row) Danny Hudson; Mitchell Malone; Butch Chambers; Eddie Beverly; (Second Row) Don Dudley, manager; Eddie Conley; Stan Norkett; Roger Cathey; Bob Harry; and Coach Glendenning; (Third Row) Danny Railey; Truett Wood; Thomas Kerns; and Tommy Howard.

## Junior Varsity Shows Promise

### JUNIOR VARSITY SCOREBOARD

NORTH 55	CATHOLIC 34
NORTH 29	GASTONIA 45
NORTH 21	ASHEVILLE 52
NORTH 40	EAST 66
NORTH 38	HARDING 43
NORTH 28	GARINGER 48
NORTH 27	MYERS PARK 66
NORTH 39	WEST 41
NORTH 31	SOUTH 49
NORTH 25	GASTONIA 79
NORTH 55	MYERS PARK 64
NORTH 40	EAST 76
NORTH 41	HARDING 49
NORTH 57	GARINGER 65
NORTH 34	SOUTH 51
NORTH 53	WEST 63
NORTH 55	SOUTH 57

North's Tommy Howard makes good a jump shot in the JV game.

Truett Wood takes a shot over the out-stretched hand of a Garinger player.







Participating in baseball were FIRST ROW: Thomas Lambert, Johnny Overcash, Tommy Black, Bobby Armstrong, Eugene Link, Butch Hough, Larry Dunn. SECOND ROW: Nelson Perry, Mike Regans, Junior Fincher, Johnny Ray, Bill Summerour, Warren

Porter, Jerry Hoke, Earl Shook, Manager. THIRD ROW: Paul Bolick, Buddy Skinner, Jimmy Blythe, Phil Howard, Mike Puckett, Davie Jones, Gary Phillips, and Coach Mack Haynes.

## Rebs Tie For Second Place In Conference Play

The 1962 Rebel baseball team finished the season with a 9-7-1 record. Under the crafty and able tutelage of Coach Haynes, last year's team ended the season tied for second place in regular play in the Western 4-A Conference. Highlighting the season was the pitching of Jimmy Blythe, who was one of the best in the league. Some of the outstanding hitters were Bobby Armstrong, Eugene Link, Butch Hough, and Johnny Overcash.

North played West in the first round of the Conference tournament and was defeated 2-1. They played Harding in the consolation game and defeated them 12-8. This placed North third in the Conference behind the first place team West and second place Garinger.

With the nucleus of last year's team returning, plus some seasoned sophomores, this year's team should have a rewarding year.

Paul Bolick took his turn at bat to help defeat East.





# Rebels Capture Second Place In Conference

Firstbaseman Larry Dunn takes a low throw to first as East player hustles back to first.

In the North-East game, Jerry Hoke fails to beat the throw to first base.



## 1962 BASEBALL SCOREBOARD

	Won	Lost	Tied
Overall Record:	9	7	1
Conference Record	5	3	0

The Rebs and their fans waited anxiously for the game to begin.





# Rebel Sets School Record



Competing in track were, FIRST ROW: Mike Rodman, Mack McKeown, Clarence Winkler, Gary Ashford, Conrad Wilson, Emery Icard, Larry Kerns. SECOND ROW: Randy Taylor, Wayne Jones, Don Goforth, Doug Bostic, Vann Sasser, Tommy

Blythe, Bob Barnhardt. THIRD ROW: Ronnie Norman, Don Dudley, Johnny Blackman, Wayne Cline, Jerry Byers, Silas Davis, and Coach Cochrane.

Led by Coach Cochrane and a capable group of returning lettermen, the 1962 Rebel Track Team worked hard to set new records. Although not successful in individual track meets, they participated in the Queen City Relays.

Captain Silas Davis, a senior, set a new school record in the mile run in the Queen City Relays. He was supported by Gary Ashford, Bob Barnhardt, and Jerry Byers.

North lost two of its varsity track members but the Rebs look toward a prosperous '63 season.

Don Dudley set the school record in discus.



Bob Barnhardt was North's top pole vaulter.

Jerry Byers was a steady performer in the high hurdles.







Cross Country Team prepared for a coming meet.



Wayne Cline set a fast pace in practice.

## Speed and Endurance Highlight Season

Members of Cross Country were coached by Mr. Cochrane. Boys making up the team were Kenny Stillwell, Wayne Cline, Mac McKeown, Wayne Jones, and Earl Bowers.

North's second year in cross country was one of building. The team was made up of juniors and sophomores; therefore, the coming season is one of great promise. With a year of experience behind them the team should take its place among the best in the Western 4-A Conference.

The team participated in seven meets with other schools in the county, and several of the boys turned in good performances, particularly Wayne Cline and Wayne Jones. Wayne Cline placed fourth in the State Cross Country Meet. The three boys that finished before him were seniors; therefore, Wayne is in the running for top state honors next year.







Rebel Varsity Wrestlers were proud of their records this year. FIRST ROW: In the 95-pound class, Billy Cavin had a 4-5 record; (103) Mike Stubbs, 6-7; (112) Tommy Park, 9-2-2; (120) Wayne Jones, 8-3; (127) Larry Cox, 7-5; (133) Craig Hunter, 1-5; (145) Larry Snider, 8-4; (154) Davie Jones, 4-6; SECOND ROW: (180)

Rick Hyman, 6-5-1; and (Unlimited) Bob Wheeler, 5-6-1. Other team members were Earl Bowers; Mike Brannen; David Brooks; Bobby Knox; Bill Mauch; Jerry Osborne. THIRD ROW: Terry Osborne; Phil Paige; Ernie Patterson; Mike Rodman; Allen Starnes; Al Thompson; and Pat Whisenant. Chauncey Edwards was Manager.

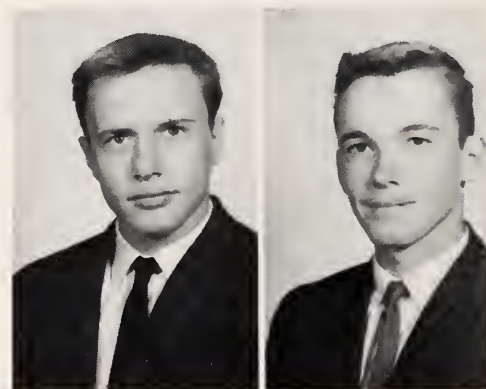
## Rebel Grapplers Show Determination, Spirit

Interest in wrestling has changed this minor sport into a major one at North. Part of the credit goes to Coach Bryce Hurd; but a great deal goes to the team who fought through their second season with the will to win.

Since the team will lose only three varsity members, they are looking hopefully toward next season, when they should be a real threat for top honors in the Western 4-A Conference. In their first year Pat Garrison won first place position in the Unlimited Class at the regional meet and lost to Asheboro in the state finals. This year's team record was 7 won, 3 lost, and 3 tied.

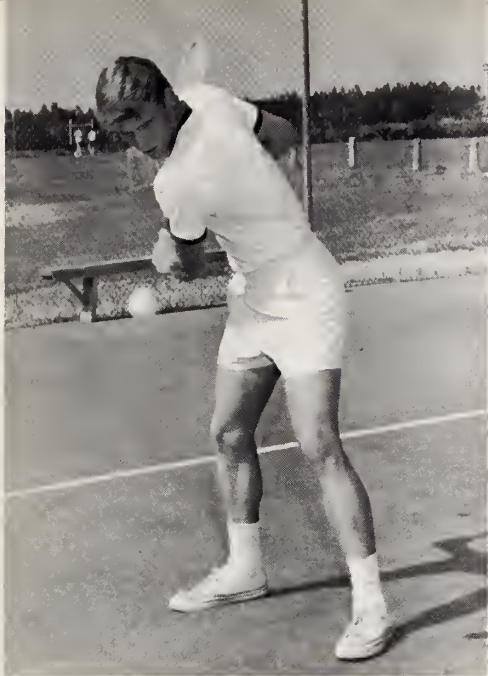
### WRESTLING SCORE BOARD

North 26	Country Day 26
North 19	South 29
North 43	East 8
North 48	West 3
North 7	Myers Park 32
North 45	West 5
North 24	Country Day 21
North 23	Garinger 21
North 24	Mooresville 22
North 22	South 22
North 24	East 24
North 5	Myers Park 36
North 27	Garinger 14

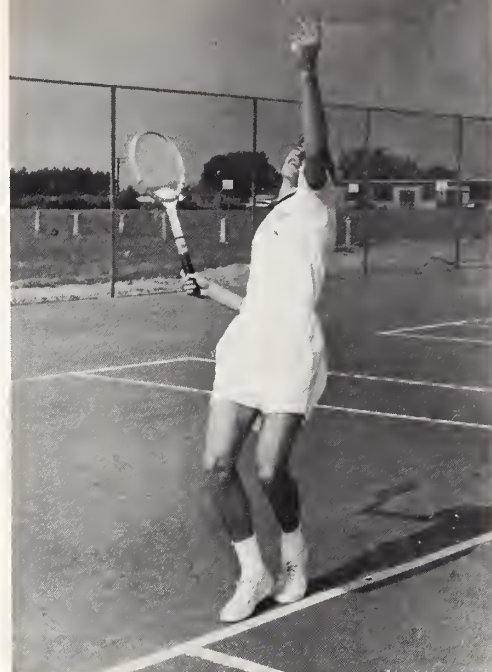


Co-Captains of the Wrestling Team were Don Pope, in the 165-pound class with a 8-3-1 record, and Vernie Case, 138 pounds, with a 7-4-1 record.



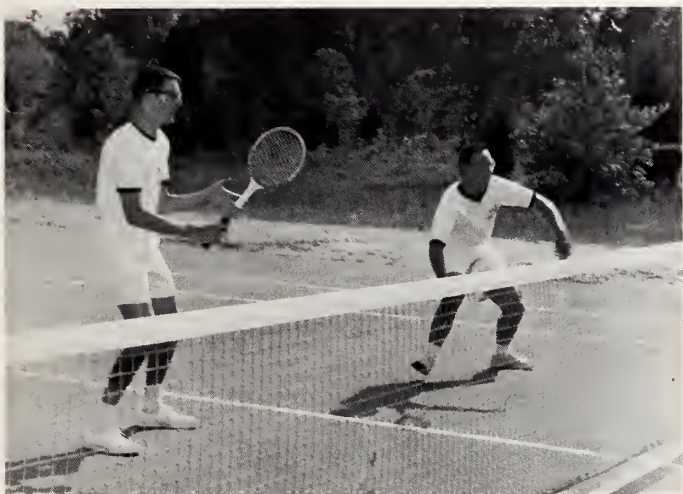


Jimmy Causey was an outstanding player who won the Athlete of the Year Award. He was state Singles Champion for two years.



Currie Johnston teamed with Causey in double matches. Currie will fill the No. 1 spot for the 1963 season.

## Rebs Defeat Myers Park In Regular Play

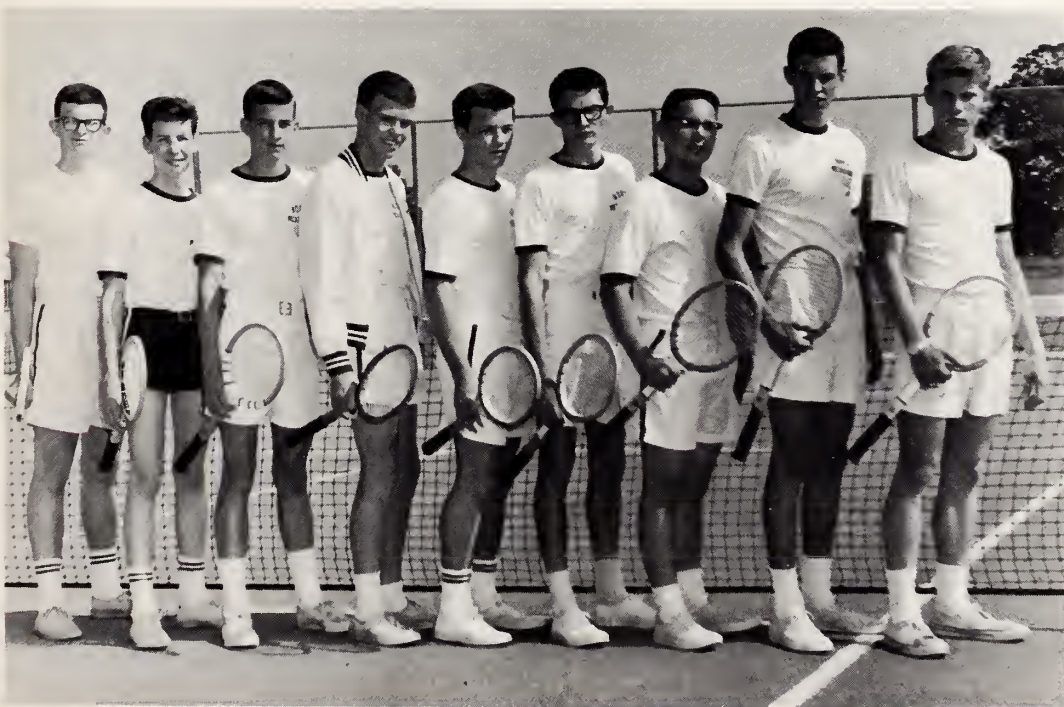


North's tennis team turned in a good performance last season. For the first time since North opened, the Rebs won over Myers Park. They also tied Myers Park for the Western 4-A Conference Championship. They tied Goldsboro for the State Team Championship.

Jim Causey defended his 1961 Boys' Singles Championship successfully by defeating Jim Donnan of Burlington 6-3, 6-1.

Graduation claimed three members of the 1962 Championship team; however, since North has always had a good tennis team, the Rebs were expected to have a good '63 season.

Grover Meetze and Ray Baucom team together for a victory during practice.



Happy over a great season were Rick Burts, Scot Treadwell, Will Brown, Charles Lloyd, Jim Poole, Grover Meetze, Ray Baucom, Currie Johnston, and Jim Causey.





Elected to lead and represent the student body of North were  
**FIRST ROW:** Frances Justice, Billie Jean Long, Ann Poole,  
 Lynn Neal. **SECOND ROW:** Terrye Edwards, Head; Cherry

Wagstaff, Co-Head. **THIRD ROW:** Marsha Henry, Delores Sim-  
 ril, Shelby Taylor, and Diane Ferrell.

## Cheerleaders Encourage School Spirit . . .

After being selected by the student body, the Cheerleaders, varsity and junior varsity, must live up to the responsibility given them. Practices begin in late summer for the varsity. A few weeks after school began junior varsity girls were elected and they soon began adding their support to the "Little Rebs."

One of the most important duties of the cheerlead-

ers was conducting pep rallies during the football and basketball seasons. They also worked with the Booster Club in making posters. The students depended on the cheerleaders to lead them at all ball games.

Though North won or lost, the Cheerleaders always set good examples of sportmanship. By working hard the girls helped to boost North's teams to winning seasons.



During the summer the Cheerleaders had a car-wash to buy new vests for the coming season.





Boosting the "Little Rebs" in their games throughout the year were the Junior Varsity Cheerleaders (Row 1) Doris Pigg, Renee Ferrell, Martha Barnhardt, (Row 2) Glenda James, Junie Sparks, and Kitty Metcalf.

## And Sportsmanship

The Varsity Cheerleaders aroused enthusiasm and school spirit at pep rallies held regularly throughout the year.







Lettergirls were Mary Kay Davis, Flag Bearer; Jean Long, Pam Wilson, Martha Greene, Dianne Skipper, Donna Wiegand, and Martha Smith, Flag Bearer.

## Jaunty Majorettes, Lettergirls Add Spice To Band

Giving a spark of glamour to the Rebel band at ball games were the Rebelettes and the Lettergirls. These girls began working during the summer to perfect the routines they planned to use. After school started, the girls practiced during fourth period with the band so that timing and rhythm would be precise.

The girls strutted and twirled through half-time ac-

tivities at home games, and marched with the band at "away" games. At Homecoming, half-time activities included routines with fire batons which proved to be very effective.

Before school began, lettergirls had a car wash to raise money for accessories for Homecoming. These added spark and originality to the activities.



Dixie Cochrane, Beckie Whitener, Head; Martha Hammer; and Kay Ashley were the majorettes that added color and spirit to football games.



# CLASSES







Elected to lead the Sophomore class in its activities were Kristi Scott, Secretary; Elaine Small, Vice-President; and Joe Dwyer, President. Johnny Waldrop, Treasurer, was absent when the picture was made.

## Sophomores Meet Their Challenges

To the Sophomore entering in September, 1962, North Mecklenburg offered many challenges. All of a sudden he was faced with adult decisions and had to take the responsibility for them. As newly orientated Rebels it did not take long to get into the swing of things and grow up.

The Booster Club and Social Committee, in order to help the Sophomores become better acquainted with each other and the school, sponsored a sock hop in the gym. Many new friendships were formed thus enabling the Sophomores to make wiser choices in selecting their class officers.

Several weeks later, the Sophomores and their par-

ents were honored by the P.T.A. at a reception in the school cafeteria. Here the parents were able to meet Sophomore teachers and become better acquainted with them.

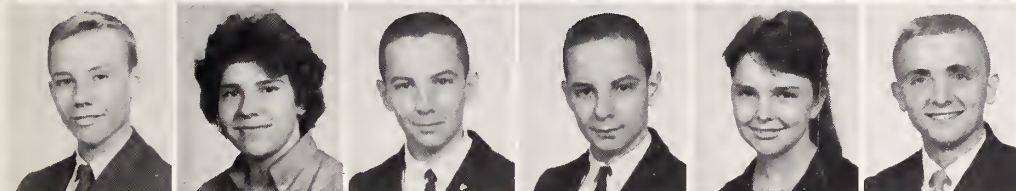
New courses offered to the Sophomores included chemistry and geometry. In addition, the Sophomores were plagued with memorizing *Julius Caesar* and dissecting frogs. Moreover here was the additional humiliation of sore shoulders caused by all the polishing the Seniors did when their rings arrived.

After all this, the Sophomore Class emerged from its first year at North, prepared to serve its school in the future with knowledge and honor.

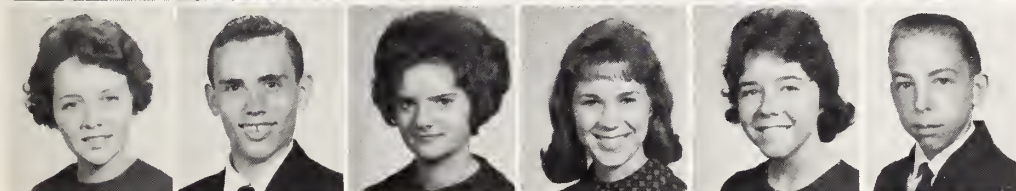




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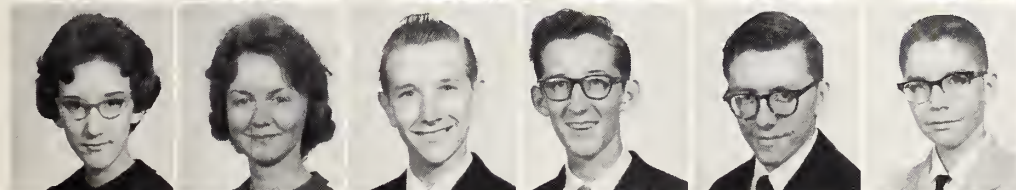
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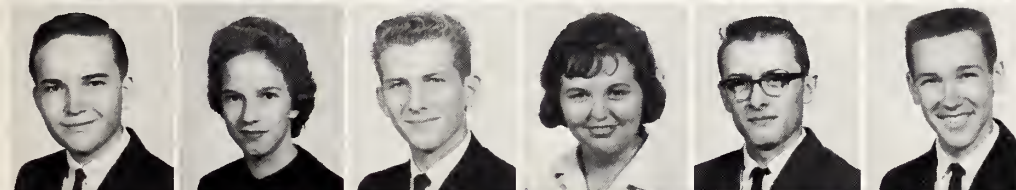
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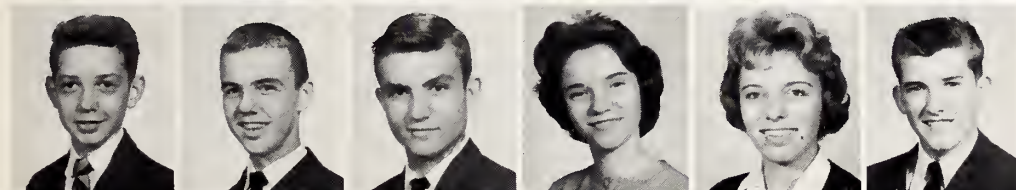
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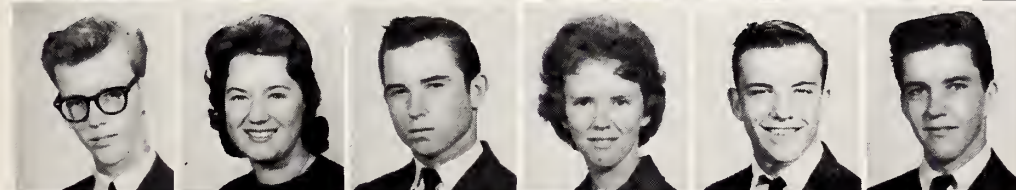
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Teresa Briggs  
David Broome



Lynne Brotherton  
Danny Brown  
Donna Brown  
Elaine Brown  
Jackie Brown  
Ronnie Brown



Sonny Brown  
Judy Bumgardner  
Ronnie Burleson  
Judy Burnett  
Donald Burrell  
Larry Burris



Laura Burris  
Julie Burt  
Barbara Caldwell  
Becky Caldwell  
Paula Caldwell  
Dennis Call





Frankie Calloway  
Richard Canipe  
Barbara Carter  
Mike Carter  
Johnny Cashion  
Roger Cathey

Gene Catoe  
Billy Cavin  
Butch Chambers  
Sherry Cline  
Joe Cochrane  
Scottie Cochrane

Sherry Collins  
Eddie Conley  
Harold Conner  
E. H. Cook  
Ruth Cook  
Betty Cooke

Judy Coone  
David Cornelius  
Harold Covington  
Linda Cox  
Mike Cox  
Patricia Cox

Steve Cox  
Lorene Cranford  
Sue Crater  
Penny Curl  
Alice Davidson  
Ken Davis

Eddie Deal  
Johnny Deaton  
Phyllis Deese  
Daisy Dellinger  
Douglas Dellinger  
Becky Dickerson

## Sophomores Learn

"Maybe we're only Sophomores, but honestly, we're too old to skip rope!" Actually skipping rope was part of the physical fitness test all Sophomores took. Here Wayne Torrence and Norman Stutts tested their endurance as Mr. Glendenning supervised.







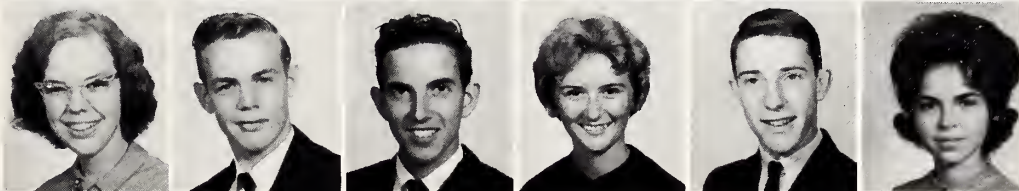
Mrs. Lilly's sophomore home economics class held a tea honoring their parents. Members of the class sampling refreshments from a special table set for them were Patricia Black, Linda Cox, Becky Nelson, Janice Primm, Lula King, and Jan Rozzelle. Jane Barnhardt served.

## ...by Serving Others and Themselves

David Dingler  
Guy Dobbs  
Eddie Dowdy  
Ben Drake  
Dian Duggan  
Larry Duke



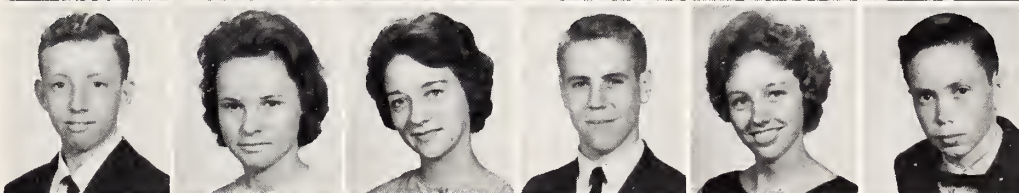
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Renee Ferrell



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Jackie Freeman  
William Gaddy  
Clayton Gibson



Russell Gibson  
Kay Godbey  
Janet Godfrey  
Johnny Greene  
Peggy Gullede  
Tommy Guy



Billy Hager  
Jimmy Hager  
Edward Hargett  
Patty Harrill  
Sandra Harrill  
Bob Harry



Janice Hartle  
Dona Harton  
Linda Hartsell  
Jean Haws  
Wanda Heafner  
Steve Hefner







Ebbie Helms  
Frances Helms  
Sandra Helms  
Sylvia Helms  
Gail Hendren  
Margaret Hensley

Sara Henson  
Johnny Herring  
David Hilton  
Patricia Hinson  
Julia Hodge  
Donna Holt

Jennie Holtzclaw  
James Hood  
Peggy Hoover  
Myrtle Hope  
Mae Horton  
Billy Hough

Max Howard  
Tommy Howard  
David Hubbard  
Mickey Hucks  
Danny Hudson  
Pam Huey

Phyllis Hughes  
Jimmy Hunter  
Teresa Isenhour  
David Jackson  
Thomas Jackson  
Glenda James

Brenda Johnson  
Penny Johnson  
Toi Ann Johnston  
David Jolly  
Jimmy Jolly  
Barbara Jones

## Sophomores Make New Friends

Preparing a meal was fun when there was a large group to help, but eating was more fun than anything else. The only trouble was that there were dishes to do after the meal was over.





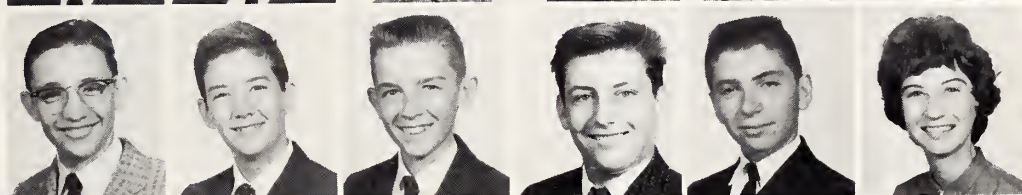
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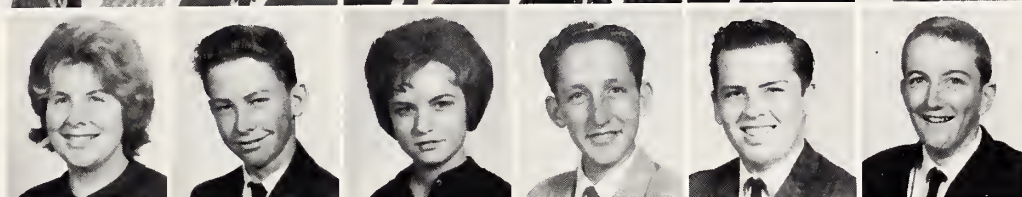
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 Harry Knox  
 Joann Knox



Treasa LaFear  
 Tony Latham  
 Sandy Lathan  
 Wayne Laton  
 Dennis Latour  
 Leonard Lawing



Terry Lawing  
 Barbara Learner  
 Linda LeChette  
 Bruce Lemmond  
 Jimmy Lewis  
 Terry Liles



Junior Little  
 Richard Little  
 Jane Long  
 Louise Long  
 Jerry Love  
 Mike Lowd



## ...Through Work and Play



All the Sophomores enjoyed the Sockhop that was given especially for them in order that they might become better acquainted.



At the Sophomore reception Myrtle Hope, Mary Jane Thomas, Martha Barnhardt, and Georgia Taylor discussed their teachers and the prospect of spending three years at North.



## Sophomores Gain Social Ease And



Hugh Lowrance  
Mitchell Malone  
Lynda Mann  
Bill Mauch  
Frances Mayberry  
Georgeanna Mayhew

Dan McAuley  
Jeanette McAuley  
Carol McCall  
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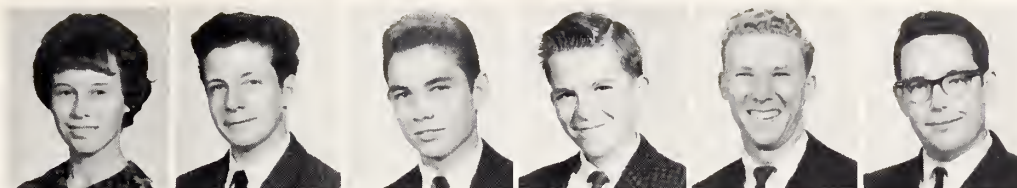
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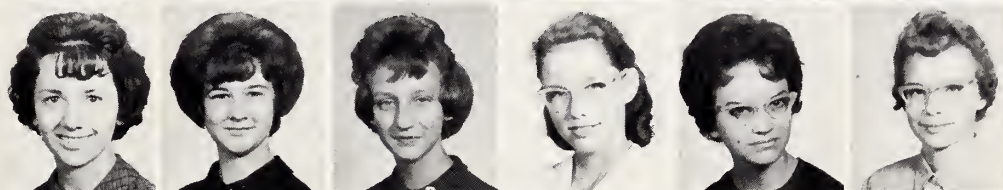
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Phil Paige  
Ernie Patterson



Linda Pendry  
Dale Penninger  
Patty Phifer  
Barbara Pierce  
Doris Pigg  
Dianne Pope



Wayne Pope  
Janice Primm  
Becky Purser  
Rebecca Putnam  
Danny Railey  
John Ranson



Sharyon Reid  
Judy Reitzel  
Diane Rhyne  
Pam Rice  
James Riley  
Linda Ritch



Linda Ritter  
Glenda Roach  
Brenda Roberts  
Mac Robinette  
Nancy Rodden  
Susan Rodden



## Acquire New Skills

Art classes provided new experiences for Sophomores. New equipment for students made this an enjoyable experience. Toi Johnston polished a piece of copper for use in making a bracelet.





Jan Rozzelle  
Janice Rozzelle  
Jill Rozzelle  
Mike Rozzelle  
Norma Rush  
Bernard Samonds

Robin Sayers  
Sam St. Clair  
Donnie Scott  
Kristi Scott  
Jerry Seabrooks  
Gerald Seipel

Donald Sellers  
Ronald Sellers  
Carol Seymour  
Billy Sharpe  
Ronnie Shell  
April Shepard

Billy Sherrill  
Brenda Sherrill  
Carolyn Shope  
Delores Simril  
Martha Sims  
Robert Sloan

Elaine Small  
Jack Smith  
Nancy Smith  
Phyllis Snodgrass  
Marsha Somers  
Junie Sparks

Kent Spath  
Mickey Speaks  
Joe Stafford  
Ronnie Stallings  
Allen Starnes  
Gary Stephens

## Biology and Physical Education



Oh, my aching back! Sophomore girls did those crazy exercises under the watchful eye of Miss Shaw.



Mrs. Hart, sophomore adviser and biology teacher, instructed Thomas Jackson and Dolly Pace in the use of the microscope.



## . . Stimulate Interest



Kay Stephens  
Mike Stephens  
Sammy Stewart  
Rosa Stilwell  
Craven Stowe  
Jill Strickland

Kerry Stroupe  
Mike Stubbs  
Norman Stutts  
Tommy Stutts  
M. H. Talley  
Georgia Taylor

Judy Taylor  
Sanda Teague  
Darrell Thomas  
Mary Jane Thomas  
Al Thompson  
Alfred Thompson

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Linda Threatt  
Charles Thornton  
Wayne Torrence  
Alan Trotter

Katina Turner  
Henry Underwood  
Vicki Wagner  
Johnny Waldrop  
Alma Wallace  
Janice Wallace

Barry Wally  
Bob Warren  
Sidney Wellman  
Norma West  
Shelby West  
Pat Whisenant



Chuck White  
Donna White  
James White  
Robert White  
Teresa White  
Faye Wilborn

Anda Williams  
Walter Winecoff  
Jane Withers  
Kathy Wood  
Truett Wood  
Carol Jo Woodall

Ellen Woodham  
Vernessa Woodrow  
Anne Woods  
Elaine Woods  
Linda Wright  
Jeanneane Young

David Youngblood



## Sophomores Seek Knowledge

For the first time, chemistry was offered to the Sophomore student. Finding the molecular weight of oxygen was a challenging problem for David Hubbard and Steve Knowlton.







To help guide the Juniors through their second year at North were their officers, Steve Ferrell, President; Ben Fincher, Vice-President; Marsha Henry, Secretary; and Judy Byrd, Treasurer.

## Juniors Face Work and Responsibility

Another year and another step up the ladder of success was offered the Juniors. During this year they were given a chance to prove their worth. They accepted the opportunity and responded with hard work and service. Fifteen Juniors were inducted into the Honor Society, a reward for their diligent studies. Also several began to make their mark in athletics and other activities.

Many Juniors began thinking about college and took the P.S.A.T. in October. On College Day they were given a chance to discuss college requirements, costs, and standards. Moreover, they gave much thought to the choice of professions and careers.

The greatest challenge presented to the Junior Class during the year was the planning and organization of the Junior-Senior Prom. Under the able guidance of the Junior Class Steering Committee and other industrious class members, the Prom was a great success and became a long-to-be remembered occasion.

The thrill of being measured for class rings coupled with the prospect of becoming Seniors made the Juniors look forward to their last year at North High. Hard work, awards, and important decisions made the year a memorable one in every respect.





One of the high lights of their Sophomore year for these present Juniors was the Latin Banquet held last April.

## Juniors Enjoy School Activities



Hilda Abernathy  
Walter Aberson  
Gerry Adams  
Esther Alexander  
Sherry Allen

Dianne Alley  
Tony Argo  
Harriet Ashcraft  
Gary Ashford  
Marianne Austin

Freddie Ayers  
Carolyn Bailey  
Beverly Ballard  
Nancy Barbee  
David Barnette

Jim Barnette  
Gayle Barrett  
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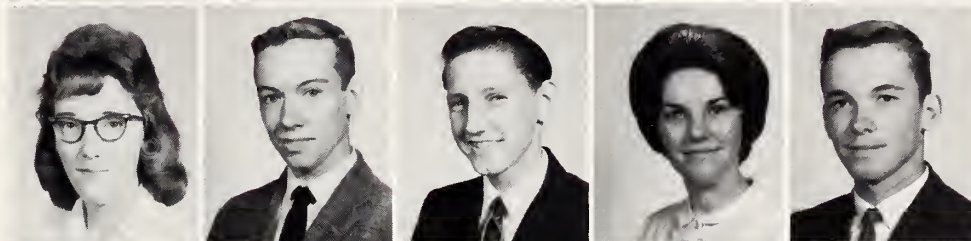
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Georgia Lee Brown  
Willie Brown



Brenda Buckley  
 Pamela Bullard  
 Joy Butts  
 Judy Byrd  
 Bernice Caldwell



Linda Canipe  
 Wayne Carpenter  
 Wayne Carrier  
 Linda Kay Carver  
 Vernie Case



Wayne Chapman  
 Claudette Chavis  
 Diana Clark  
 Darlene Clegg  
 Wayne Cline



Richard Cobb  
 Ronnie Cochran  
 Mary Ann Coley  
 Lanny Correll  
 Jennie Lou Covington



Larry Cox  
 Roy Cox  
 Charlsie Coyle  
 Larry Cranford  
 Lee Daugherty



Carol Ann Davis  
 Raymond Dease  
 Jerry Deese  
 Kay Dewese  
 Brenda Dickerson



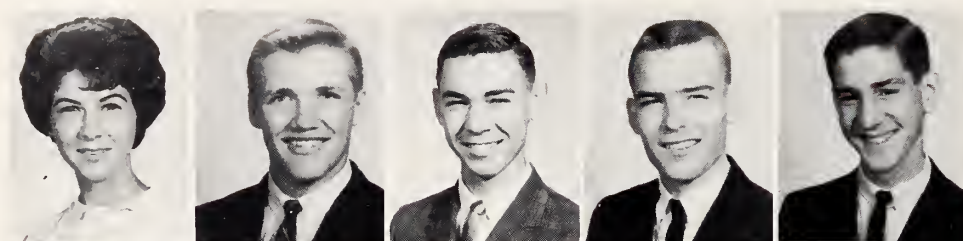
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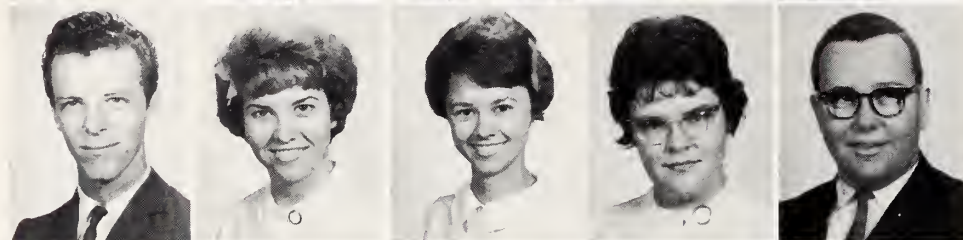
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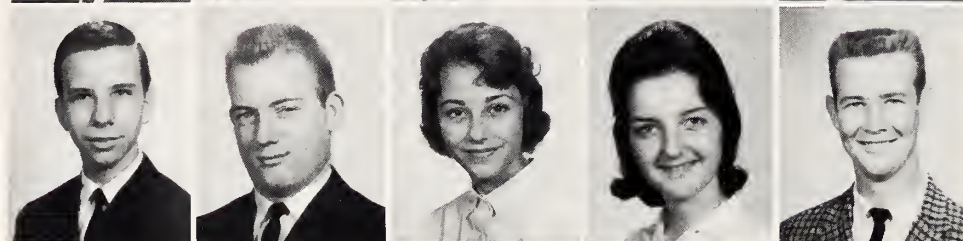




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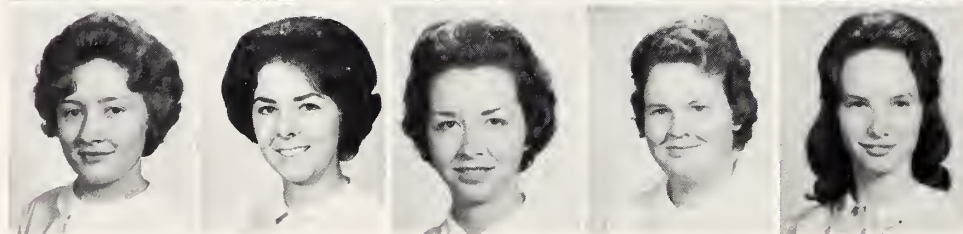
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Mike Gant



Randy Gray  
Anne Griesman  
Janice Griffin  
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Betty Jo Grove  
Larry Gunter  
Judy Hager  
Kaye Hager  
Thomas Hager



Dawn Hamilton  
Martha Hammer  
Jean Harrington  
Becky Hart  
Wanda Hartsell

## Through Study and Participation



Juniors inducted into the Honor Society included Ronnie Norman, Mildred Hope, and Jane Price. This honor was the result of much hard work and study.

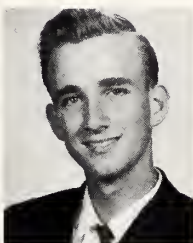
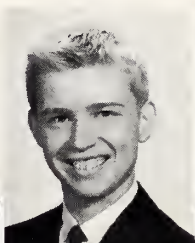


Geometry offered a challenge to many Juniors. Al Frazier explained a difficult problem to his class.

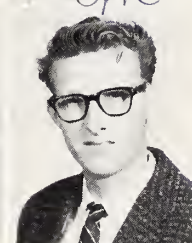
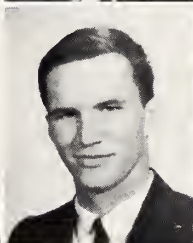
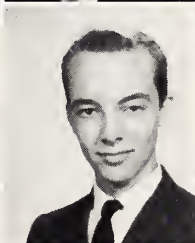


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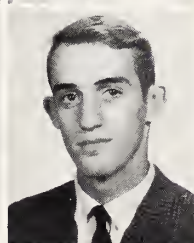
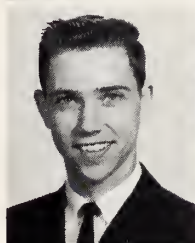
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Simone Helms  
Marsha Henry



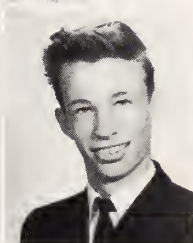
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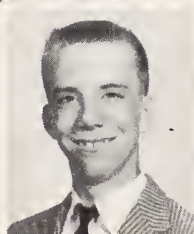
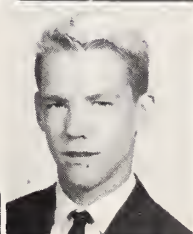
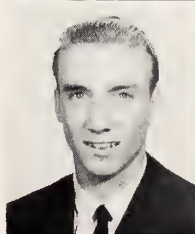
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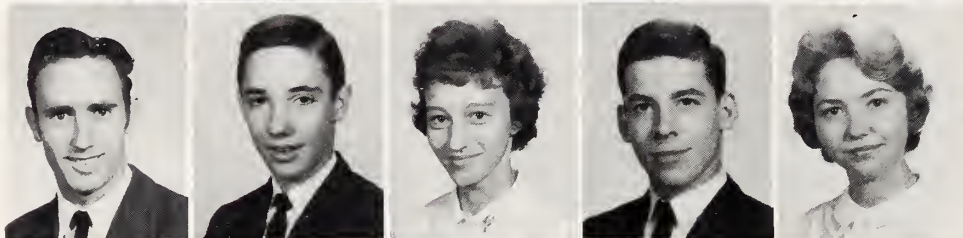
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Thomas Hunter







Richard Hyman  
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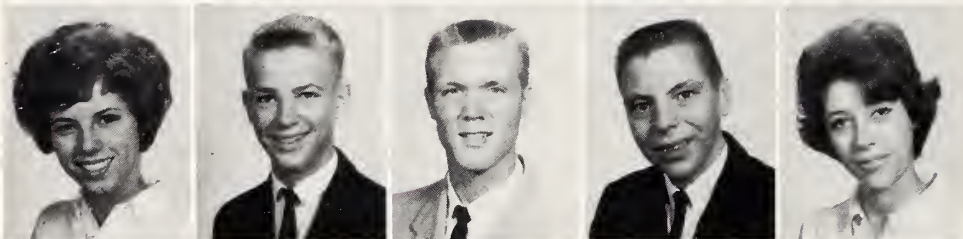
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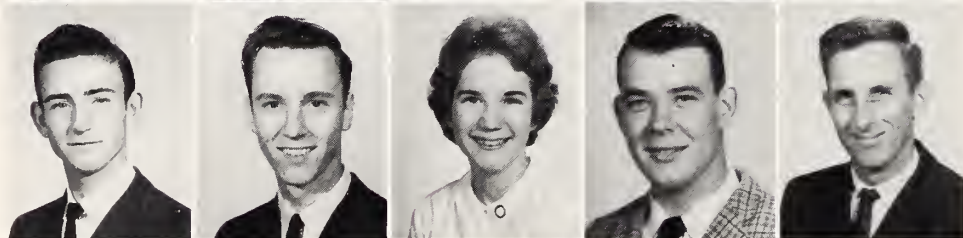
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Dianne Knox  
Kenny Knox  
John Ladd  
Mike LaFear  
Vickie LaFoy



Thomas Lambert  
Gary Lanham  
Susan Logan  
James Long  
Fred Lothery



Marcia Lutz  
Larry Mabe  
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Tommy Manning



Ricky Manor  
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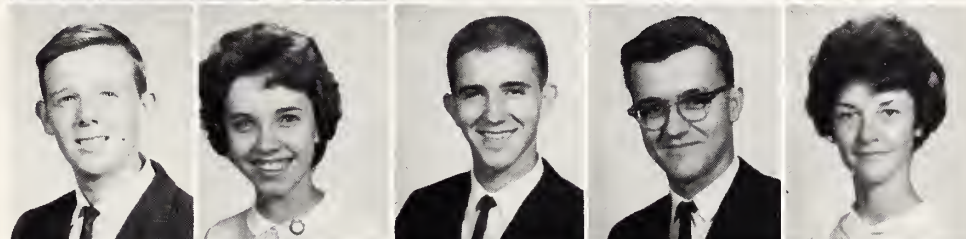
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Jimmy McAuley



Richard McAuley  
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Mac McKeown  
Gayle Moore



Eric Morton  
Jean Moseley  
Ken Mullis  
Jerry Mumpower  
Elizabeth Mundy



Franklin Nance  
Lynn Neal  
Peggy Neese  
Dorothy Norket  
Mike Norket



Ronald Norman  
Steve Norris  
Jimmy Norton  
Barbara Overcash  
Tommy Park



Gail Parker  
Charles Peterson  
Jane Pettus  
Mickey Pharr  
Gary Phillips



## ... And Perform Many Services

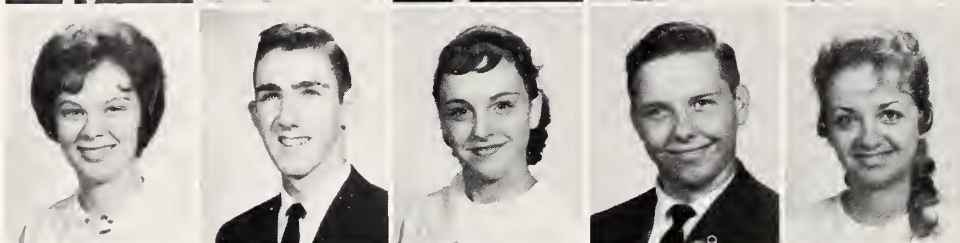


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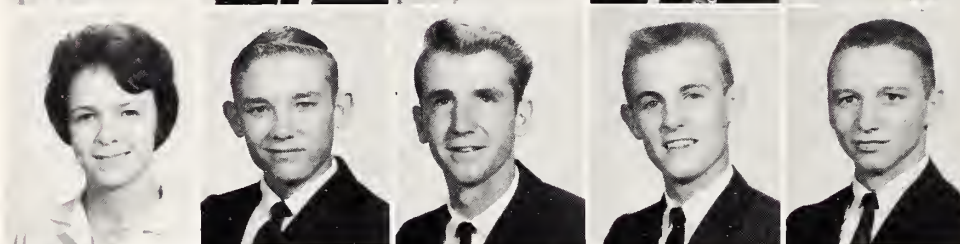




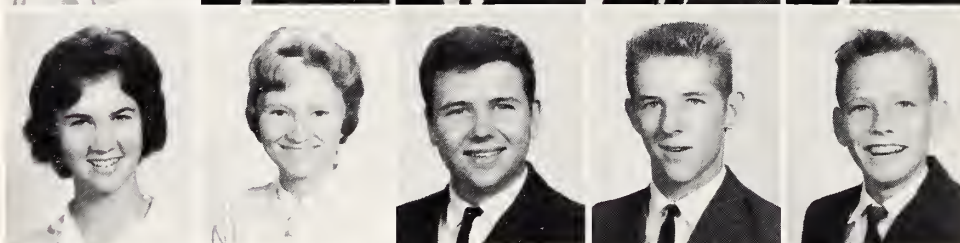
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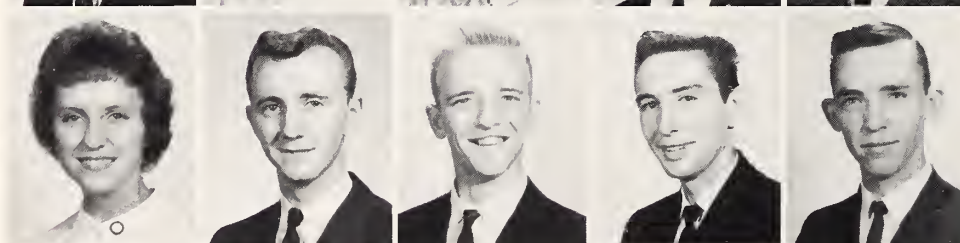
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Vann Sasser  
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Bob Scivoletti  
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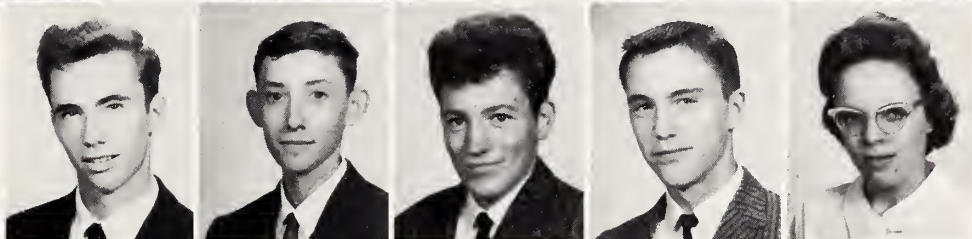
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Perry Smith  
William Smith  
Libby Sneed



Larry Snider  
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Cindy Stewart  
Jimmy Stewart  
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Kenny Stillwell  
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Shelby Taylor  
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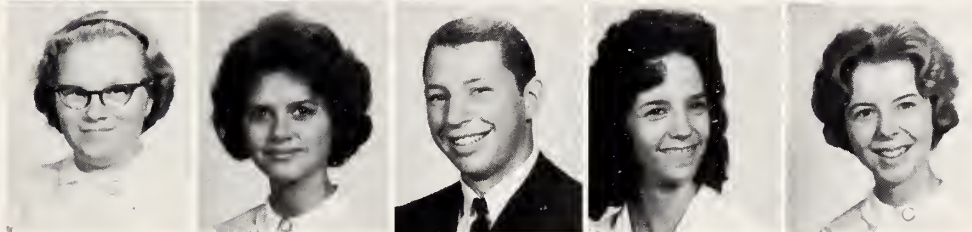
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Linda Walker



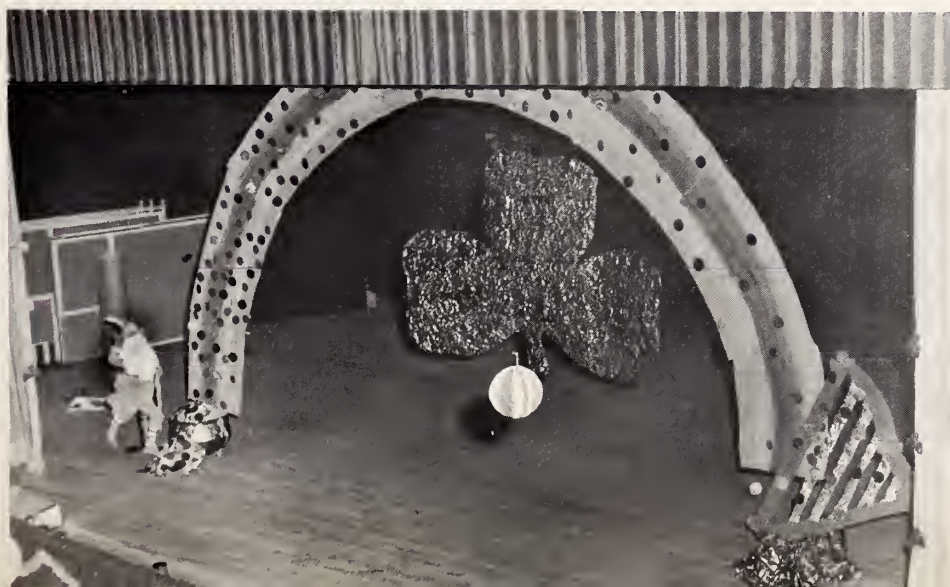
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Mattie Ward  
Donna Washam  
Kathy Washam



Jane Westmoreland  
Sandra Wheaton  
Robert Wheeler  
Linda Whitley  
Judy Whitlow



## ... Including Promotion of Junior-Senior Prom



Each year the Junior Class works hard to provide a better and more memorable Jr-Sr. Prom than the previous Junior Class had planned.





Donna Wiegand  
Vickie Wiggins  
Elaine Williams  
Pat Williams  
Ricky Williams

Bill Wilson  
Conrad Wilson  
Judy Wilson  
Pam Wilson  
Elaine Winecoff

Clarence Winkler  
Margaret Wood  
Martha Wood  
J. D. Wright  
Bill Yandle

Edith Yaude  
Juris Zarins

## Juniors Choose Efficient Leaders

The Junior-Senior Prom called for cooperation from all the Juniors. Making up the Steering Committee were the class officers and the presidents of each Junior homeroom, who were, FIRST ROW: Ann Thompson, Marsha Henry, Judy Byrd. SECOND ROW: Steve

Ferrell, Willie Brown, Harry Kelly, Bobby Hinson. THIRD ROW: Ben Fincher, Dale Readling. FOURTH ROW: Gary Ashford, Larry Cox, and Richard Raymer.







Senior Officers were Currie Johnston, President; Johnny Wallace, Vice President; Terrye Edwards, Secretary; Fred Kerr, Treasurer.

## Seniors Look Forward to Future

In the fall of 1962 Seniors faced the joys and responsibilities of their final year at North with great anticipation. They were to discover, however, that this final year meant more work and emotional strain than the two years before. It meant the last ball game, the last dance, and the last *Viking*—the last of many things which they had shared together.

Ambition was the incentive for most Seniors. For the college-bound members of the class, the year brought the prospect of college boards and submitting applications to the colleges of their choice. There was some disappointment, but mostly the future held bright promise. Seniors who did not expect to attend college made plans for their future, also.

With many accomplishments behind them, the Seniors awaited graduation day. In their hearts would always be the final memories of the Junior-Senior Prom, the class picnic, the Senior reception, and the Baccalaureate exercises. For the first time, seniors in all seven senior high schools were consolidated into one body for the Baccalaureate services at the Coliseum. Many objected to this; but time brings changes, and tradition must give way to progress.

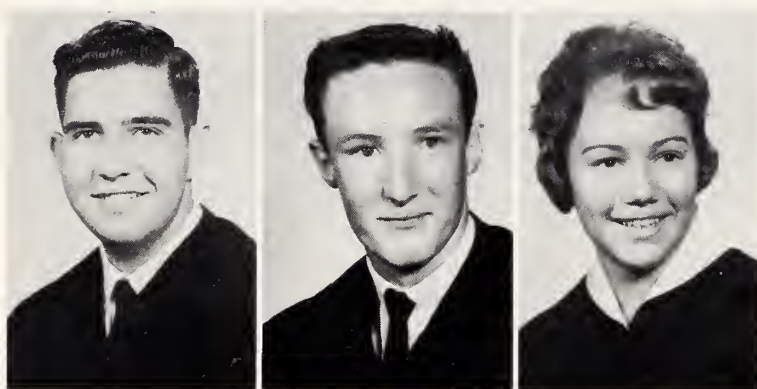
Friends at North would never be forgotten; nevertheless, Seniors looked forward to new experiences as young adults.





Seniors discovered many things about college life through discussions with the various College Day representatives.

## Seniors Learn What Colleges Offer



**CARL WAYNE ALEXANDER**  
Bus Driver 2,3; FFA 1.

**JAMES THOMAS ALLEN**  
Science Club 1; D.E. Club 2,3.

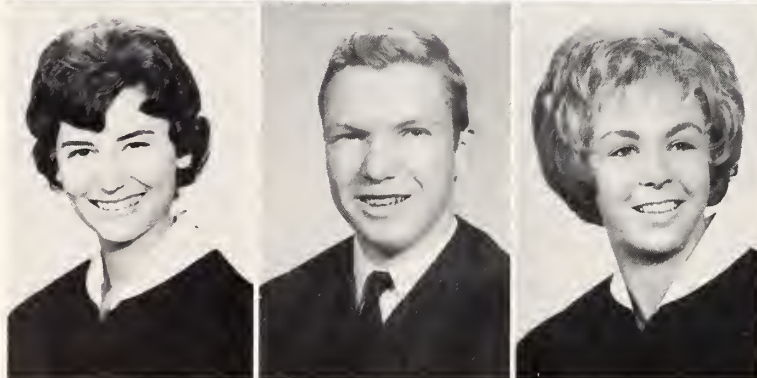
**SUSAN LYNN ALLISON**  
Booster Club 1; French Club 2; GAA 1,2,3; Viking Staff 2; North Star Staff, Co-Sports Editor 3; Dramatics Club 3; FTA Reporter 3; Homeroom Secretary 2.



**ROBERT BENTON ARMSTRONG**  
Booster Club 1,3; Hi-Y 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Red Cross 2,3; Monogram Club 3; Homeroom President 3; Student Council 3; French Club 2.

**KAYE FRANCES ASHLEY**  
Homeroom Treasurer 1; President 3; Red Cross 1; FHA 1; GAA 1,2,3; Majorette 2,3; Booster Club 1,2,3; Student Council 3; Football Sponsor 3.

**LANA JEAN AUTEN**  
FTA 1; GAA 1,2; FHA 2,3; Booster Club 1,3; Red Cross 1; Library Club 3.



**VICTORIA JEAN BAKER**  
Booster Club 1,2,3; Red Cross 1; Homeroom Vice-President 1; Secretary 2; Girls' Ensemble 2; FHA 1; GAA 1,2,3; Social Committee 2,3; Cheerleader 1,2; Football Sponsor 3; BEST PERSONALITY.

**LARRY ELLIOTT BALLARD**  
Student Art Guild 2; FFA 1,2,3.

**PATRICIA EVELYN BARKLEY**  
GAA 1,3; Booster Club 1; Homeroom Treasurer 1; Football Sponsor 3; North Star Staff 3.



**ROBERT SWIFT BARNHARDT**

Football 1,2,3, Captain 3; Hi-Y 2,3; Track 1,2,3, Captain 3; French Club 2; Science Club 1; Student Council, Publicity and Public Relations Committee Co-Chairman 3.

**ESTHER JANE BATES**

Student Council 1,3, Goodwill Committee 1, Social Committee 2,3, AFS Committee 3, Chapel Committee 3; Booster Club 2,3; Red Cross 2,3, Treasurer 2, County Council 2,3; FHA 1,2,3, Vice-President 2,3; 4-H Club President 1; Medical Auxiliary Award 2; Science Fair Award 2, French Club 2,3.

**BEN ROBERT BEAVER**

Key Club 2,3, Treasurer 3; French Club 2; Science Club 1,2; Glee Club 1; Boys' Ensemble 1; Viking Staff 1,2,3; Social Committee 2; Booster Club 1,2,3, Executive Committee 3; Boys' State; MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED.

**THOMAS EDNEY BENFIELD**

Glee Club 1; Boys' Ensemble 1; Viking Staff 1,2; Booster Club 1,2,3; Science Club 2; FTA 2; National Honor Society 2,3; Latin Club 2,3; Bus Driver 2,3; French Club 2,3, Secretary 2, Treasurer 3; AFS Committee 3; Junior Marshal.

**PHILIP LYNN BLACK**

FFA 2; Bible Club 1,2,3, Vice-President 3; North Star Staff 3.

**THOMAS HENRY BLACK**

Hi-Y 1,2,3; Monogram Club 2,3; Key Club 1,2,3; Football 1,2,3, Sportsmanship Award 3; Baseball 1,2,3; Homeroom Vice-President 3; MOST DEPENDABLE.

**JOHN LORING BLACKMAN**

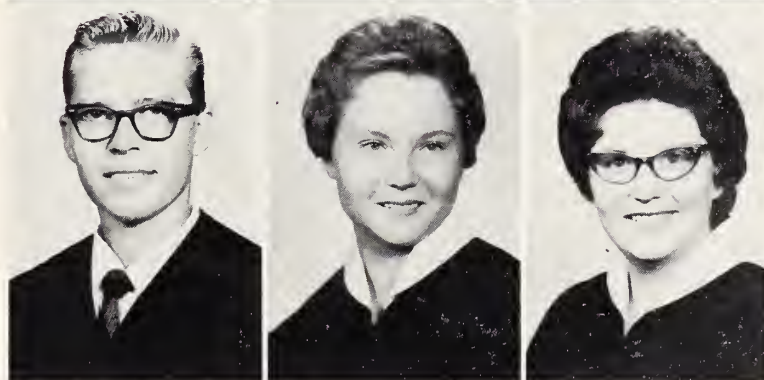
National Honor Society 2,3; Track 1,2,3; Cross Country 2; MOST INTELLECTUAL.

**GAIL DEAN BLANTON**

AY 1; GAA 1,2,3.

**BARBARA ELIZABETH BLYTHE**

Homeroom President 1; Dramatics Club 1; Science Club 2,3, Vice-President 3; Bible Club 1,2,3, President 3; Student Council 1,3, Devotions Committee 3.

**JAMES ALEXANDER BLYTHE**

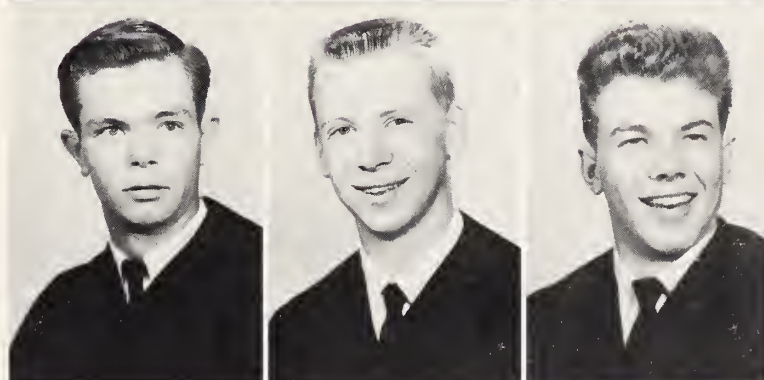
Key Club 1,2,3, Sergeant at Arms 2; Hi-Y 1,2,3; Monogram Club 1,2,3, Baseball 1,2,3, Captain 3.

**THOMAS BREVARD BLYTHE**

Monogram Club 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 2,3; Football Manager 2,3.

**PAUL WAYNE BOLICK**

Homeroom President 1; FFA 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3, Monogram Club 2,3.

**LARRY ARLANDA BOYLES**

French Club 2.

**NANCY ANN BRADLEY**

Transferred from West Mecklenburg 1; Lettergirl 2; FHA 3.

**REBECCA ANN BRASINGTON**

Transferred from Harding 2; GAA 3; FHA 3.







**VICTOR NELSON BROWN**

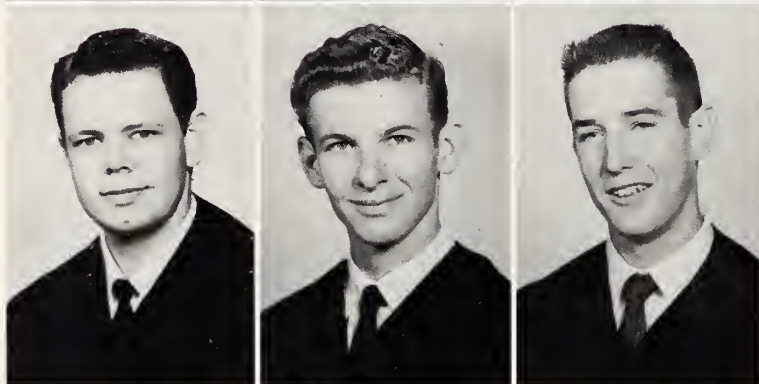
Homeroom President 1; Treasurer 2; Science Club 1.  
MOST TALENTED.

**JAMES CARROLL BUMGARNER**

FFA 1,2,3, Secretary 2; Bus Driver 2,3; Science Club 2; Homeroom Treasurer 2.

**RICHARD CLYDE BURTS**

Math Club 2,3, President 3; Booster Club 3, Executive Committee 3; Wrestling Team 2,3; Tennis Team 2,3; French Club 3; All-County Chorus 2; Boy's Octet 2; County Commissioner Youth Appreciation Week 3.



**LANDER HERBERT BUSTLE, JR.**

FFA 1,2,3; Bus Driver 2,3; North Star Staff 3.

**FRED TERRY CASE**

**ROBERT BOYD CHAMBERS**



**WILLIAM BARRY CHAPMAN**

FFA 1,2; Bus Driver 2,3.

**JANET ADRITH CHERRY**

Booster Club 1; Viking Staff 2,3; FHA 1,2,3; Students Art Guild 2; Library Club 3; French Club 2; Red Cross 1; Fall Festival Queen 1; Bus Driver 2,3.

**PATSY SUE CLINE**

GAA 2.



**DIXIE DIANNE COCHRANE**

FHA 1,2,3, Parliamentarian 1, Vice-President 2, President 3; French Club 1,2,3, Vice-President 2, Secretary 3; Red Cross 2,3, President 2; Social Committee 3; Majorette 1,3; Football Sponsor 3; Homeroom Secretary 1; Science Fair Award 1; Girls' State; Booster Club 1.

**JERRY LEE COLEMAN**

**RANDALL PAUL COLLINS**

Booster Club 1; Latin Club 1; Junior Achievement 1,2,3; Bus Driver 2,3.



**JACQUELINE ANN COMFORT**

GAA 1,3; Cheerleader 2; Booster Club 1,2,3; Football Sponsor 2,3; Junior Achievement 3, Publicity Committee 2; Student Council 2; Red Cross 1; North Star Staff 3.

**NANCY ELIZABETH CORNELIUS**

GAA 1,2; Y-Teens 1, Band 3; French Club 2; Math Club 3.

**VIRGINIA ELLEN CORNUE**

Girls' Ensemble 1,2; County Chorus 1,2; Representative to State Choral Festival 1; Student Art Guild President 2; French Club President 2; Booster Club 2; Girls' State.



**ROBERT EARL COVINGTON**

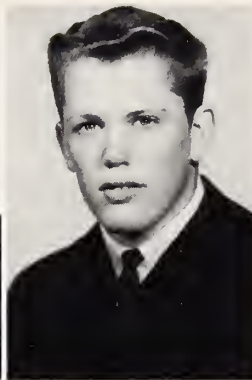
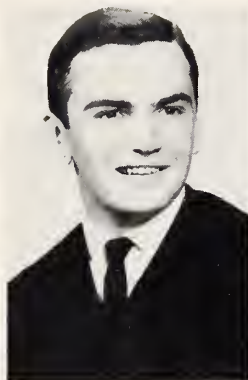
Science Club 1,2.

**DAVIS HAYES CRATER**

Key Club 1,2,3; Monogram Club 2,3; Hi-Y 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Student Council 2,3, Vice-President 2, President 3; Latin Club 1,2; French Club Vice-President 3; Booster Club 1; Football 2,3; Junior Marshal; MOST OUTSTANDING.

**CAROLYN IRENE CRUMP**

French Club 2; Bible Club 1; Bus Driver 2,3.



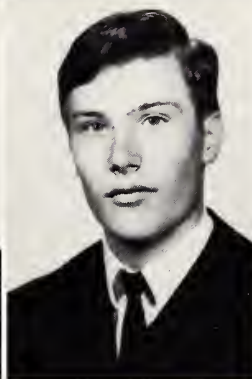
**MARY KAY DAVIS**

Booster Club 1; French Club 3; Flagbearer 2,3; Girls' State; GAA 1; Football Sponsor 2; Girls' Ensemble 2.

**CHARLES EDWARD DISHMAN**

**VERNIE LEE DONALDSON**

AY 1; Homeroom Vice-President 1, Secretary-Treasurer 3.



**MARTHA CORINNE DOTGER**

Homeroom Vice-President 1; Booster Club 1; National Honor Society 2,3, Secretary 3; Student Council 3, Handbook Committee Chairman 3; Viking Staff 1,2,3, Co-Editor 3; Latin Club 1,2; Bus Driver 3, Substitute 2; MOST SINCERE.

**KATHERINE ANN DUNLAP**

Booster Club 1; Red Cross 1; Dramatics Club 1; French Club 1.

**LARRY RICHARD DUNN**

Key Club 2,3; Monogram Club 3; Baseball 2,3; North Star Staff, Production Manager 3.



## Seniors Take Vital Interest in North's Activities



Participation in the chapel and P.T.A. programs presented by the chorus classes was a part of some busy Seniors' holiday activities.





**FRANCES JANE EAKIN**

AY 1; FHA 1,2,3, Reporter 3; Homeroom Secretary 1; Girls' Ensemble 2; Red Cross 1; Glee Club 1.

**TERRY E ELIZABETH EDWARDS**

Cheerleader 1,2,3, Head 3; Booster Club 1,2,3; Science Club 1; French Club 3; Girls' Ensemble 2; School Pianist 1,2,3; Homeroom Secretary 1, Vice-President 2; Class Secretary 3; Football Sponsor 3; Homecoming Queen 3; BEST ALL ROUND.

**SUE MARIE EURY**

Y-Teens 1; FHA 1,2,3; Booster Club 1.



**JAMES RONALD EVANS**

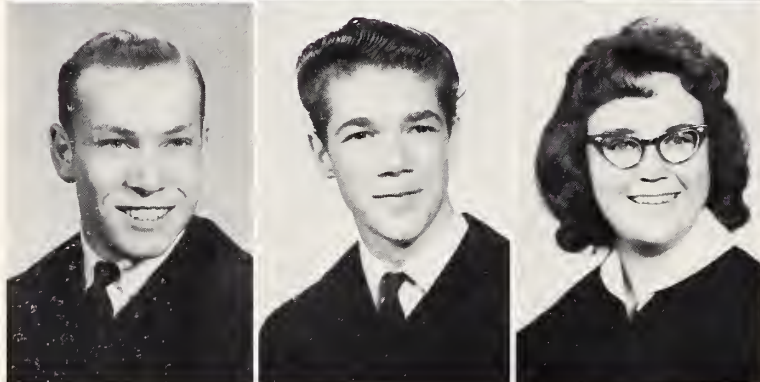
Transferred from Garinger 1; Bible Club 1; Science Club 1.

**BOBBIE GAIL FERGUSON**

AY 1; Booster Club 1; FHA 2; Latin Club 1.

**GLEND A LANE FERRELL**

AY 1; Bible Club 2; Girls' Ensemble 3.



**OSCAR WOODLEY FINCHER**

Homeroom President 2,3; Student Council 2,3; Hi-Y 1,2; Baseball 2,3; Football 2,3; MOST ATHLETIC.

**KENNETH RONALD FINCHER**

Science Club 1; FFA 1; Bible Club 1.

**PATRICIA ANN FORTENBERRY**

Science Club 1.



**LARRY HERBERT FOWLER**

DE Club 2.

**HAROLD LEIGHTON FRAZIER**

FFA 1,3; North Star Staff 3; Bus Driver 1,2; Homeroom Vice-President 1; Science Club 1; Hi-Y 3.

**NANCY JANE FRAZIER**

Booster Club 1; Homeroom Treasurer 2; North Star Staff 3.



**BARRY PRESTON GANT**

Tennis 2,3; Monogram Club 3; Homeroom Secretary 3; North Star Staff 3, Editor-in-Chief 3.

**JUDITH ANNETTE GARRISON**

FHA 1,2,3; Bible Club 3; Dramatics Club 2,3; Latin Club 1,2.

**DON WASHAM GOFORTH**

Key Club 3; Track 1,2,3; Booster Club 2,3; Homeroom Treasurer 2; Science Club 1; Bible Club 3.





Senior "sophistication" doesn't help a bit in the mad scramble between classes.

## Seniors Lose Dignity in Between - Class Rush.

**SANDRA JEAN GOODRUM**

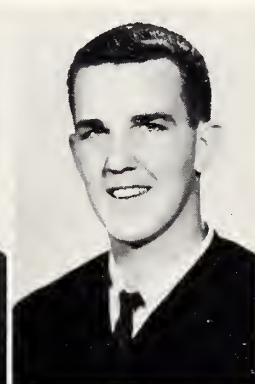
Booster Club 1; AY 1.

**MARTHA JANE GREENE**

GAA 1,2,3; Football Sponsor 2,3; Lettergirl 2,3; Booster Club 1,2,3; Red Cross 1.

**JOHNNY LEE GRICE**

Football 2,3; Homeroom Treasurer 3; MOST SINCERE.



**SHERRYE STARR GROVES**

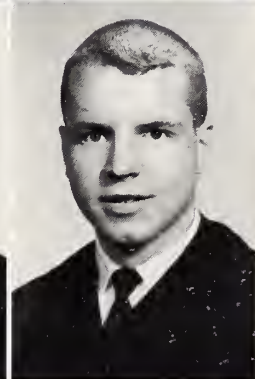
Substitute Bus Driver 2,3; Booster Club 1,2,3; GAA 2; Red Cross 1,2; Homeroom Vice-President 1.

**HELEN JOAN CRUGGETT**

Transferred from West Mecklenburg 2.

**JOE VERNON HAMILTON, JR.**

Junior Achievement 2; Bus Driver 2,3; FFA 2; North Star Staff 3; Homeroom Vice-President 3; Boys' Ensemble 2.



**MARGARET SHARON HAMILTON**

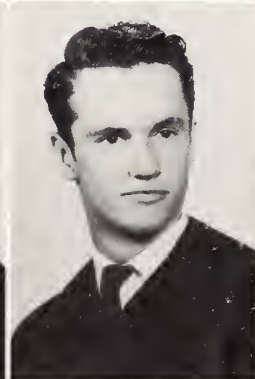
Transferred from Winston-Salem 1.

**LYNDA DOWDY HAMMER**

Red Cross 1; Queen of Hearts 2.

**THOMAS EUGENE HASTINGS**

FFA 1,2,3; Science Club 1; Bus Driver 3.

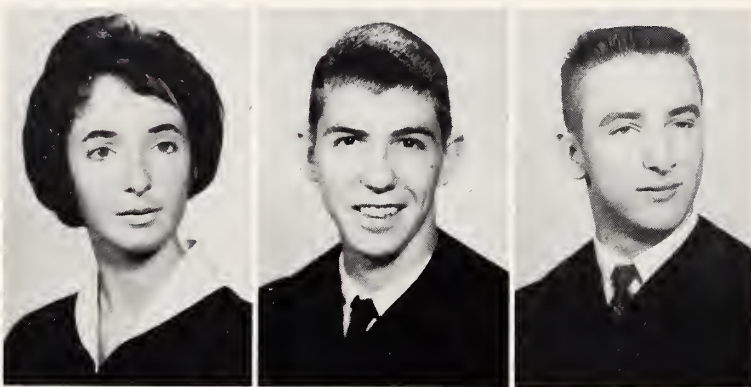




Carolyn Crump, Reeve Taylor, Christine Porter, Sandra Goodrum, and Janice Ussery took dictation in shorthand class.



## Electives Teach Practical Skills



**NANCY ANN HAWKS**

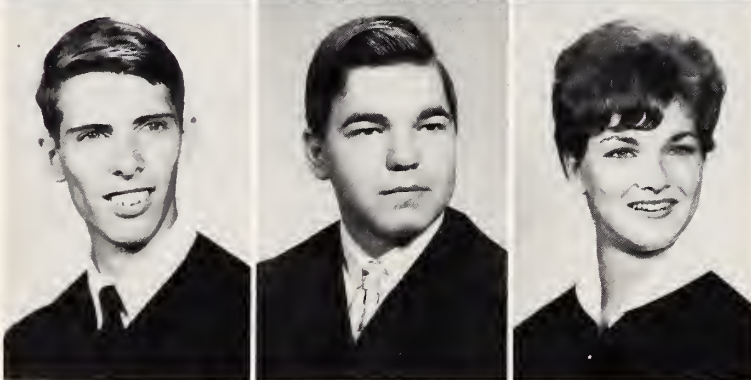
Booster Club 1; Homeroom Vice-President 1.

**GARY BERDETTE HELMS**

FFA 1,2,3; Science Club 3.

**WAYNE LAVERN HENDERSON**

Transferred from South Mecklenburg 3; FFA 3.



**CHARLES HARRIS HENDREN, JR.**

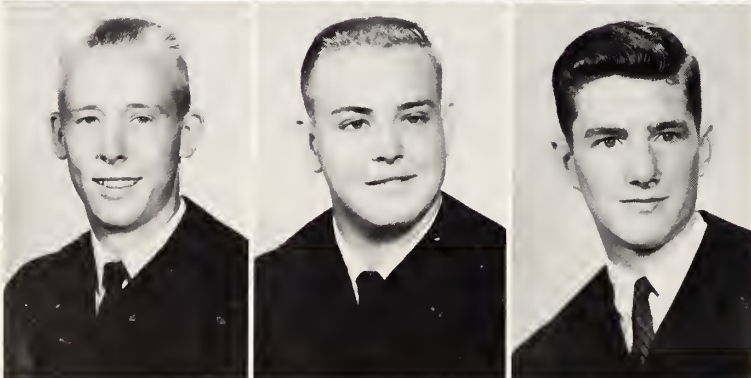
Band 1,2,3.

**JAMES WILLIAM HENSON**

Transferred from South Mecklenburg 2.

**SANDRA KAY HILL**

Transferred from Union Mills 2; BEST LOOKING.



**DARRELL REID HINSON**

Science Club 1; French Club 2; Bus Driver 2,3; Hi-Y 2,3; North Star Staff 3; Homeroom Treasurer 3.

**JOHNNY WEBB HOKE**

FFA 1,2; Bus Driver 1.

**RONNIE LEVAN HOOVER**

Red Cross 1; Booster Club 1; Latin Club 1,2; Basketball 2,3; 4-H Champion 2.



**ZOE ANNE HOUGH**

Class President 1; Student Council 1,2,3, Secretary 3; Hospitality Committee Chairman 2,3; AFS 3; Girls' Ensemble 1; County Chorus 1,2; Debating Team 1; State Winner "Voice of Democracy" Contest 1; Booster Club 2; National Honor Society 2,3; French Club 2,3, Vice-President 3; World Peace Study and Speaking Contest Winner 2; Student Symposium Committee 3; District DAR Good Citizen 3; National Council of Teachers of English Award 3; Head Marshal 2; MOST OUTSTANDING.

**ROBERT PRESSLEY HUDSPETH, JR.**

Homeroom Treasurer 1; FFA 3; Wrestling Team 3; Track 3.

**LOUIE PORTER HUNTER**

Red Cross 1; Booster Club 1,3; Bus Driver 2; Central Industrial Education Center 3.

**KAY BLAKELY INGLE**

AY 1,2; Y-Teens 1.

**ROBERT LEON JOHNSON**

Homeroom Secretary 1, President 2; FFA 1,2; Bus Driver 2; Student Council 2.

**STEVE RANDALL JOHNSON****ARCHIBALD CURRIE JOHNSTON**

Hi-Y 1,2,3; Key Club 1,2,3, Vice-President 3; Monogram Club 2,3, President 3; French Club 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Tennis 1,2,3; Cross Country 2; Boys' State; Harvard Book Award 2; Junior Marshal; Class President 2,3; Student Council 2,3; BEST ALL ROUND.

**GLENN CALDWELL JOHNSTON**

FFA 1; DE Club 2,3, President 3.

**EDWARD KENNETH JONES**

DE Club 2,3, Vice-President 2,3.

**JOHN WAYNE JONES**

Track 1,2,3; Cross Country 1,2,3, Captain 3; Wrestling 2,3; Monogram Club 2,3.

**RONALD EVERETTE KEITH**

FFA 1,2,3; Science Club 1; Photography Club 1; Substitute Bus Driver.

**WILLIAM PATRICK KERNS**

Football 1,2,3; Track 1; Latin Club 1,2; Library Club 1; Intramural Volleyball 1; Homeroom President 3; Student Council 3; Monogram Club 3.

**FRED THOMAS KERR**

Booster Club 1; Science Club 1; Homeroom President 2; Class Treasurer 3; Student Council 2,3; Cross Country 2; Monogram Club 2,3; Hi-Y 2,3; Key Club Secretary 3; Social Committee 3; North Star Staff 3; Junior Class Steering Committee 2.

**DAVID HENRY KLUTZ**

FFA 1,2,3; Science Club 1; Bible Club 1; Substitute Bus Driver.

**FRANCIS VERNON KNOX**

Football 2,3; Science Club 2; Bus Driver 2,3.







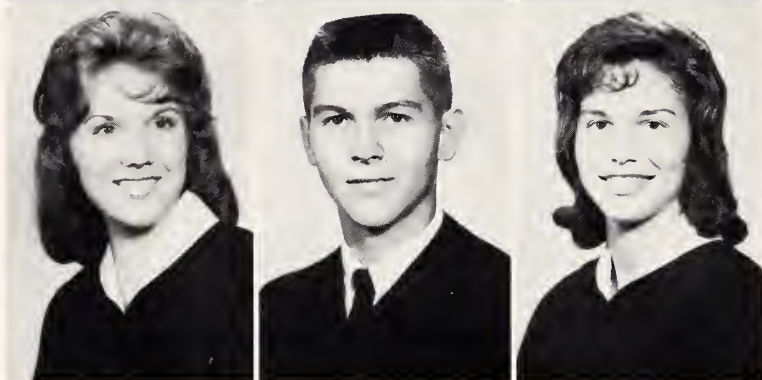
**SHIRLEY DEAN LANEY**

**BONNIE ELIZABETH LATON**

Latin Club 1; Library Club 1; GAA 1,2; DE Club, Secretary 3.

**ABBIE EUGENE LEAZER**

Homeroom Vice-President 3; FFA 1,2; Science Club 1.



**JOYCE ANNETTE LEAZER**

Booster Club 1,2; FHA 1; GAA 2.

**ROBERT EUGENE LIPPARD**

Science Club 2,3; Football 2; Viking Staff 3.

**HAROLD DEANNE LITTLE**

GAA 1; Science Club 1,2,3; French Club 3.



**BILLIE JEAN LONG**

Booster Club 1; Red Cross 1; Homeroom President 2, Secretary 3; Student Council 2; Class Secretary 1,2; Cheerleader 3; MISS NORTH MECKLENBURG 3; Bus Driver 2,3; FRIENDLIEST.

**DONNA JEAN LONG**

Booster Club 1,2,3; Social Committee 2; Homeroom President 1, Vice-President 2, Secretary 3; Student Council 1; Lettergirl 2,3; GAA 1,2,3; Bible Club 1; MOST ATHLETIC.

**WALLACE MONROE LOTHERY, JR.**

FFA 1,2,3.

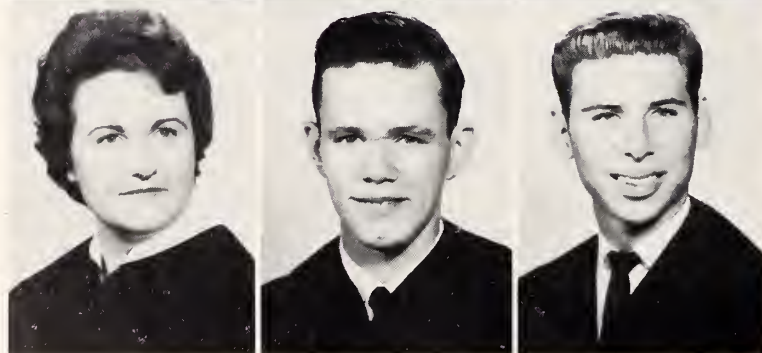


**JULIA ELIZABETH LYDIC**

**SUSAN EMBRY MARTIN**

Homeroom Secretary 2,3; French Club 1,2, President 1, Vice-President 2; National Honor Society 2,3, President 3; National Council of Christians and Jews 2; Booster Club 1; GAA 1,2; AFS Committee 2,3, Chairman 2; Math Club Vice-President 2; MOST INTELLECTUAL.

**JAMES CRAVEN McCONNELL**



**VICTORIA JANE McCONNELL**

Girls' Ensemble 1; Bus Driver 2,3; Girls' State; Homeroom Treasurer 3.

**WILLIAM HOWARD McCOY**

Homeroom President 2, Treasurer 3; Bus Driver 2,3; Booster Club 1; Photography Club 2; Student Council 2; FFA 3; Red Cross 1,2; Intramural Volleyball 1.

**DANIEL JOSEPH McGRAW**

Bus Driver 1,2,3, Homeroom Secretary 2,3.





In cooperation with the Fall Festival Committee, Dixie Cochrane and Jane Bates played "make believe." They changed channels in the Talent Contest. The television may have been "make believe" but the cokes were real.

## Seniors Serve Community

### BEVERLY McKEE

FHA 1; Red Cross 1,2; Arts and Crafts 1,2; Booster Club 1; Bus Driver 2,3.

### GROVER CLEVELAND MEETZE

Tennis Team 1,2,3; Monogram Club 2,3, Sergeant-at-Arms 3; French Club 2,3; Photography Club 1.

### BRENDA DIANE MILLER

GAA 1; Bible Club 1; Photography Club 1; Science Club 1; Booster Club 1,2,3; 4-H Club Reporter 1; DE Club 2, School Job Interview Contest Winner 2, Delegate to State Convention 2; Bus Driver 3, Substitute 1,2.

### DONALD EUGENE MISENHEIMER

Homeroom Reporter 1, Treasurer 2; FFA 2,3; 4-H Club 1; Red Cross 1,2.

### NANCY JEAN MOODY

Transferred from Wappingers Central School, N.Y. 2; GAA 2,3, Vice-President 3; French Club 2,3, Treasurer 3.

### PATRICIA RUTH MOORE

Booster Club 1,2,3, Co-Chairman 3; French Club 3; Latin Club 1; Student Council 3; GAA 1,2.

### VERA LUCIA FIUZA de MORAES

Exchange Student from Brazil 3; AFS Committee 3; French Club 3; Booster Club 3; Student Council 3.

### PATSY HOKE MULLIS

AY 1; Homeroom President 1; Student Council 1; French Club 2.

### ALVIN ROGER MUMPOWER

Science Club 1; Hi-Y 1.







**SANDRA LOUISE MUMPOWER**

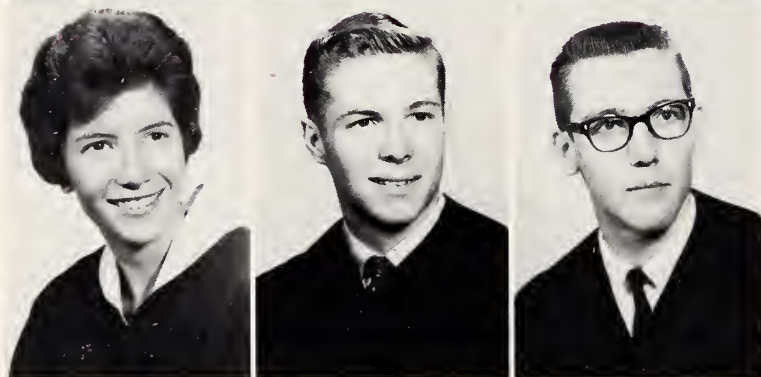
Booster Club 1; Red Cross 1; Latin Club 1; Dramatics Club 2,3, Treasurer 3; Football Sponsor 3; Girls' Ensemble 2.

**CHERYL ANN NALLEY**

Transferred from East Mecklenburg 1; Red Cross 1; Latin Club 1; Booster Club 1,2; FHA 2; GAA 1,2; Dramatics Club 2, Homeroom President 3.

**JERALDINE FRANCES NEAL**

Transferred from South Mecklenburg 2; Art Club 2; Booster Club 2,3; MOST CREATIVE.



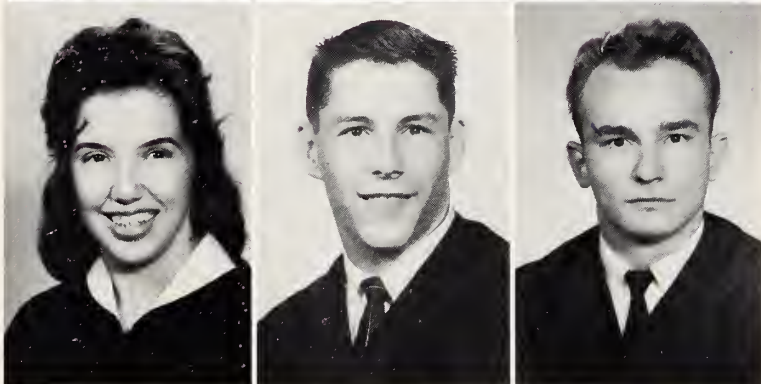
**LINDA GAY NELSON**

Class Vice-President 1; Booster Club 1; GAA 1,2,3, President 3; Student Council 1,3; French Club 2; Homeroom Treasurer 2,3; WITTIEST.

**MICHAEL STUART NORRIS**

Viking Staff 1,2,3; Bus Driver 2.

**RAYMOND DENNIS NUNN**



**ELIZABETH ANNE OVERCASH**

**JOHN GIBSON OVERCASH**

Key Club 1,2,3; Monogram Club 2,3; Hi-Y 2,3; Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3; Red Cross 1,2.

**CRISTA LEE OWENS**

Transferred from Garinger 3.



**ANNA BROWN PEGRAM**

Transferred from Harding 2; FTA 2; Girls' Ensemble 2; County Chorus 2; French Club 3.

**VICKEY GERALD PENDER**

Booster Club 1,2; FHA 3; Library Club 3.

**REITA PAULINE PENDRY**

Booster Club 1; Red Cross 1; Student Council 1; National Honor Society 2,3; Dramatics Club 3, President 3; MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED.



**JAMES WILLIAM PENNINGER**

FFA 1,2; Homeroom Secretary 1.

**DONNA SUE PENNINGER**

**MARCIA CORILE PERRY**

Glee Club 1; Booster Club 1; Science Club 1; Dramatics Club 2,3; French Club 3; Miss Hi Miss 3.



**NELSON NEAL PERRY**

Key Club 1,2,3; Monogram Club 3; Latin Club 1; Baseball 1,2; Tennis 3; Homeroom Treasurer 2; Student Council 2; Hospitality Committee 2; MOST COURTEOUS.

**JIMMY KAY POOLE**

Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Tennis 2,3; Monogram Club 1,2,3; Key Club 2,3; Board of Directors 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; French Club 2,3; Homeroom Vice-President 1; President 2; Student Council 2,3; Treasurer 3; Student of the Month 3; Junior Marshal; Most Valuable Player Football Award 3; Second Team All-County Basketball 2; Second Team All-County Football 3; Third Team All-State Football 3; BEST LOOKING.

**LAVENIA CHRISTINE PORTER**

FHA 1; Booster Club 1; Homeroom President 2; Student Council 2; French Club 2.

**WARREN PORTER, JR.**

Baseball 2,3; Monogram Club 3; Key Club 3; Hi-Y 3; Homeroom Vice-President 3; Math Club 2; Booster Club 3.

**JUDITH LYNN POWELL**

Math Club 2; FHA 2; Junior Marshal; National Honor Society 3.

**CLARENCE DON PUCKETT**

Hi-Y 1,2,3; Vice-President 3; Baseball 3; Bus Driver 2,3; FRIENDLIEST.

**VIRGINIA NORTHINGTON PUCKETT**

Homeroom Secretary 1; Booster Club 1,2; Handbook Committee 2; GAA 1; French Club 2,3; Debating Club 1; National Council of Christians and Jews 3; State Winner Science Fair 1; Honor Society 2,3; Vice-President 3; Viking Staff 1,2,3; Business Manager 3.

**BRENDA JEANNE RABORN**

AY 1; Red Cross 1; Booster Club 1.

**CATHERINE DONELLE RANSON**

FHA Song Leader 1; Booster Club 1; French Club 2,3; Girls' Ensemble 2,3; Football Sponsor 3; MOST COOPERATIVE.



## Projects Awaken Desire to Learn

This is class work? Deanne Little timed a physics experiment of force and momentum. Mr. Woodrow watched while Judy Stancil "drove" and Bobby Armstrong and Joe Rogers applied the force with a broom stick.

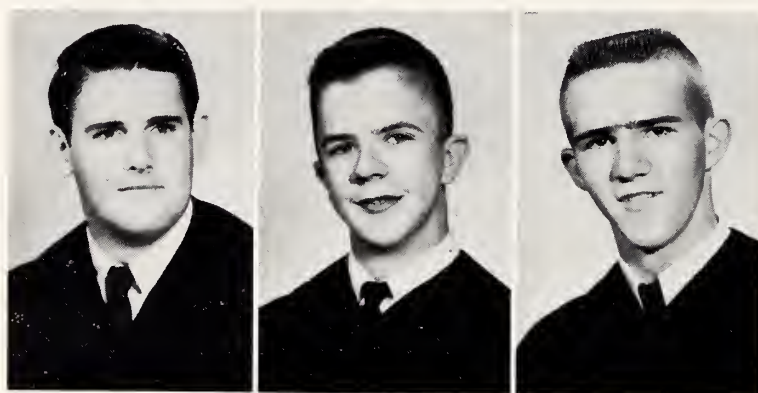






Sponsored by Royal Typewriter, Mr. Ben Posner gave a demonstration of speed typing. Mary Kay Davis watched as Mr. Posner showed his skill by typing 128 5-stroke words per minute.

## Demonstrations Quicken Interest, Also

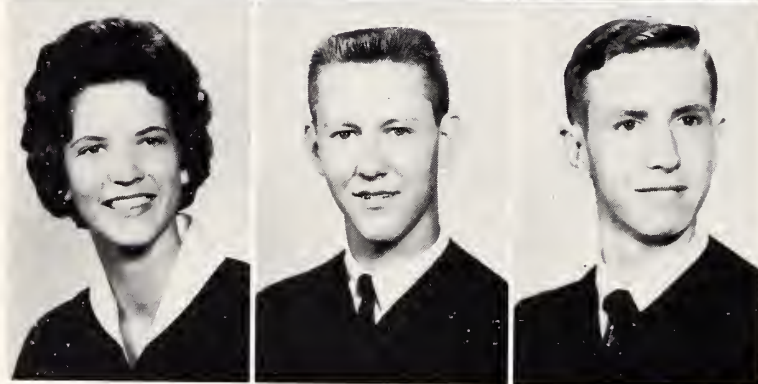


**JAMES MARION RICE**

Football 1,2; Red Cross 1; Booster Club 1; Key Club 1,2,3.

**IVY BUFORD ROBERTSON**

**STEVE ROBINETTE**



**NORMA REBECCA ROBINSON**

GAA 1,2,3, Secretary 2,3; French Club 2,3; Devotions Committee 3; Social Committee Chairman 2; FHA 1; Student Council 3.

**JOSEPH ANDREW ROGERS**

Key Club 1,2,3; Hi-Y 2,3; Science Club 1; Latin Club 1,2; Boy's State; Homeroom Treasurer 2, President 3; BEST CITIZEN.

**THOMAS WILLIAM RUSSELL**

North Star Staff 2; Science Club 1.



**JOHN DAVID SCOTT**

**CATHERINE ELIZABETH SEAY**

Homeroom President 1; Student Council 1; Latin Club 1,2; Booster Club 1,2; National Honor Society 2,3; Junior Marshal.

**NANCY SUE SECREST**

Homeroom Secretary 1; Red Cross 1; AY 1; Booster Club 1,2; Bus Driver 2,3.



**EVELYN DIANNA SHARPE**

Latin Club 1; FHA 1,2,3.

**ERNEST ALLEN SHEPARD**

Booster Club 1,2,3, Co-Chairman 3; Science Club 1,2; French Club 2,3; Student Council 2,3; National Council of Christians and Jews 1,3; Boys' Ensemble 1; Red Cross 2; Science Fair Award 2; Viking Staff 1,2,3; Student of the Month 3.

**SANDRA CLAIRE SHIELDS**

Latin Club 1,2; Science Club 2; French Club 3; How-to-Study Club 1; GAA 1.



**EARL AUGUSTUS SHOOK**

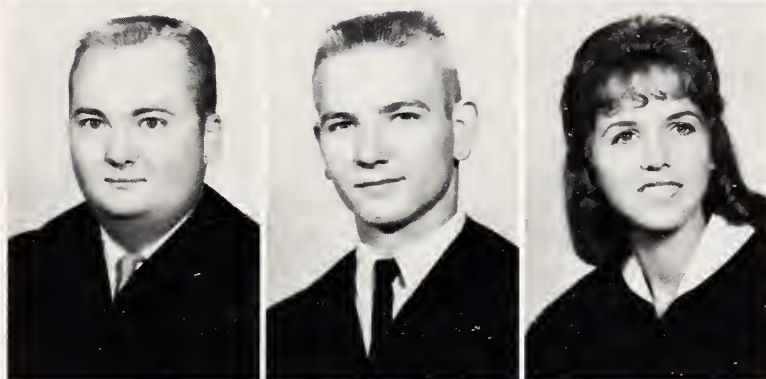
Homeroom Treasurer 1; Baseball Manager 2; Basketball Manager 2; Football Manager 3; FFA 3, Treasurer 3.

**STEPHEN MICHAEL SIMPSON**

Science Club 1; FFA 1.

**SARAH DIANNE SKIPPER**

Booster Club 1; FHA 1; GAA 2; Lettergirl 3; Football Sponsor 3.



**HARVEY ALLISON SLOOP, JR.**

FFA 1; DE Club 3.

**ERNIE DEAN SMALL**

DE Club 2; Science Club 1.

**CAROL FAY SMITH**



**DICKIE ELAINE SMITH**

Homeroom Treasurer 1, Vice-President 3; Booster Club 1,2; Dramatics Club 2,3; GAA 1; Red Cross Reporter 1.

**HARRIET JEAN SMITH**

FHA 1,2,3, Secretary 3, Y-Teens 1.

**HENRY JEROME SMITH**

Science Club 1; Boys' Ensemble 2; Boys' Quartet 3; Bus Driver 2,3.



**MICHAEL DEAN SMITH**

AY 1; French Club 2; Human Relations Conference - Wildacres 2.

**PHYLLIS RUTH SMITH**

FHA 1,2,3; Dramatics Club 2,3; Library Club 3; Red Cross 3.

**ROBERT ALLISON SNEED**

FFA 1; DE Club 1,2,3, Treasurer 3.







**JAY LANE SNIDER**

**ALVIN FRANKLIN SNODGRASS, JR.**

Science Club 1; Bus Driver 2, Substitute 3; Intramural Volleyball 1; Wrestling 2.

**JAMES FRANKLIN SPRINGS**

FFA 2; Science Club 1; DE Club Editor 3.



**DEANNE ELIZABETH STRONG**

AY 1; Bible Club 2.

**JUDITH ELAINE STANCIL**

Latin Club 1,2; Viking Staff 1,2,3, Co-Editor 3; Booster Club 1; Math Club 2; Science Club 3; National Honor Society 2,3, Treasurer 3; Hospitality Committee 2; Scrapbook Committee 3; Student Council 2,3; MOST DEPENDABLE

**BARBARA ANN SWORDS**

4-H Club 1; Red Cross 1; FHA 2; Bible Club 2.



**RANDY DARYLL TAYLOR**

Track 2,3; Homeroom Vice-President 3; WITTIEST.

**REEVA ANNE TAYLOR**

FHA 1,2,3, Reporter 2; French Club 3; Viking Staff Typist 3; Red Cross 1,2; Glee Club 1,2, Treasurer 2.

**GLENN EUGENE TEAGUE**

Booster Club 1; DE Club 2,3, Associate President 2; Science Club 1.



**CAROL LEXENE THOMAS**

Booster Club 1; GAA 2; Bus Driver 2,3.

**EUGENE WILLIAM TRYTHALL**

Science Club 1,2,3; Bus Driver 3.

**JULIA FRANCES TUCK**

Speech Club President 1; FHA 1; Bible Club 2.



**WANDA LYNN UPRIGHT**

FHA 1,2,3; North Star Staff 2.

**JANICE MARIE USSERY**

FHA 1; Girls' Ensemble 2; Glee Club 1,2, Librarian 2; Viking Staff 3.

**PHYLLIS ANN WAGNER**

Homeroom President 3; French Club 2,3, Treasurer 2, President 3; AFS Committee 2,3; Booster Club 1,2; Hospitality Committee 3; Human Relations Conference-Wildacres 2; GAA 1,2,3, Vice-President 2, Reporter 3; Symposium Committee Chairman 3; Social Committee 2,3; BEST CITIZEN.



**LILLIAN CHERYL WAGSTAFF**

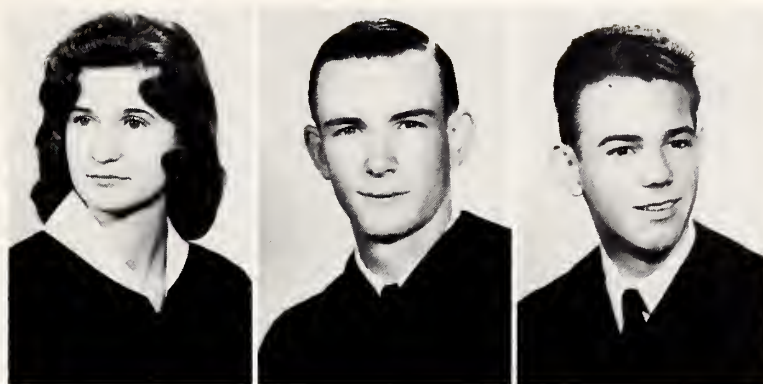
Booster Club 1,2,3; French Club 3, Treasurer 3; National Honor Society 2,3; Cheerleader 2,3, Co-head 3; Homeroom Secretary 2,3; Co-Editor North Star 3; Glee Club 1; Junior Marshal.

**JOHN WOODLEY WALLACE, JR.**

Student Council 2,3; Class Vice-President 2,3; Boys' State; Key Club 1,2,3, Board of Directors 2,3, President 3; Monogram Club 3; Hi-Y 2,3; French Club 2; Booster Club 1,2; Steering Committee 2; FFA 3, Secretary 3; Basketball 1,2,3; MOST COOPERATIVE

**WILLIAM RUSSELL WASHAM**

FFA 1,3; Bus Driver 1,2,3.

**ROBERT YOUNG WESTMORELAND, JR.**

FFA 1,2,3, Vice-President 2, President 3; Bus Driver 2,3.

**MICHAEL JACKSON WHISENANT**

Football 1; Booster Club 1,2; Latin Club 1,2; Bus Driver 1,2; Viking Staff 1,2,3; Homeroom President 3; Student Council 3; Red Cross 1; Hi-Y 3.

**CHARLES FRANK WHITE****EMMA LORRAINE WHITE**

Transferred from Mt. Auburn High School 2; Bible Award 2.

**REBECCA ANN WHITENER**

GAA 1,2,3; Booster Club 1; French Club 2; Dramatics Club 2,3, Vice-President 3; Bus Driver 2,3; Football Sponsor 2; Girls' Ensemble 2; Majorette 2,3, Head 3.

**GWENDOLYN CAROL WHITLEY**

FHA 1,3; GAA 1; French Club 2,3, President 2; Homeroom Vice-President 2; Student Council 2,3; Devotions Committee Chairman 3; MOST COURTEOUS.



## Seniors Remember Gala Events of Year



One of the main highlights of a Senior sports participant is the choosing of a sponsor for homecoming. Pat Kerns and Donelle Ranson were only two of the people who were presented that day.





**JUNIOR FRANKLIN WIKE**

FFA 3; DE Club 2,3; Homeroom Vice-President 1.

**NED STOUGH WILLIAMS, JR.**

Homeroom President 1, Vice-President 2; FFA 3, Vice-President 3; Key Club 2,3; Hi-Y 2,3; Bus Driver 2,3.

**TERRY LANE WILLIAMS**



**ARTHUR P. WILSON**

FFA 1,2.

**JANET KAY WILSON**

Booster Club 1,2.

**MARY ELIZABETH WILBORN**

Latin Club 1,2; Booster Club 1; GAA 1.



**VIRGINIA LEE YOUNG**

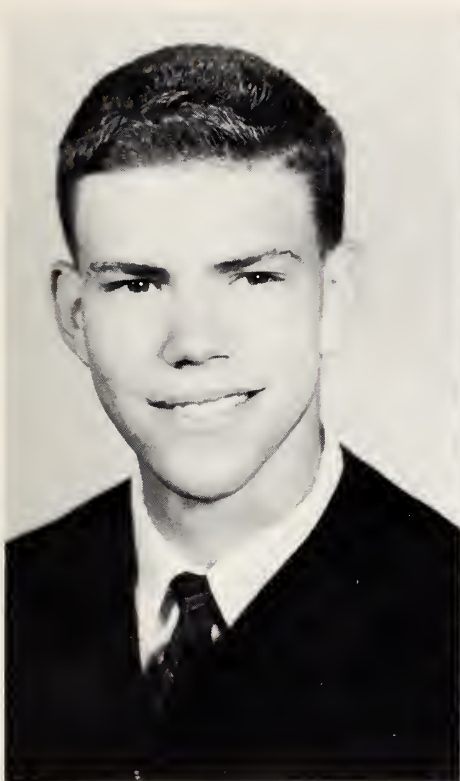
Transferred from Rock Hill High School 2; FHA 3; French Club 3.

## Seniors Work with Underclassmen

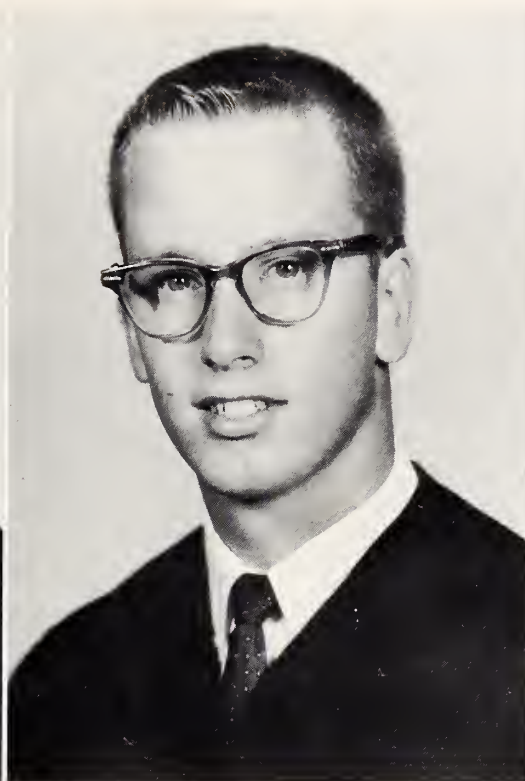
One of the senior privileges is marching into the auditorium while the underclassmen sing the Alma Mater for them.



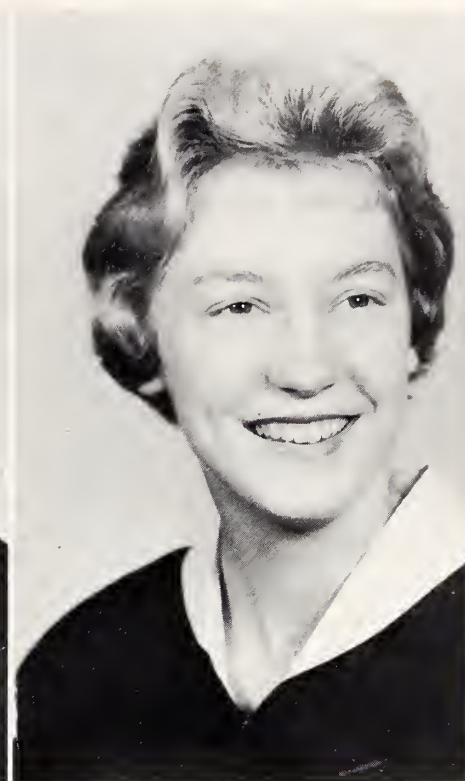




Charles Lloyd  
STUDENT OF THE YEAR



Cameron Coleman  
VIKING SERVICE AWARD



Susanne Rayburn  
SENIOR FULFILLMENT AWARD

## Knowledge, Honor, Service Recognized at Graduation

Four major awards are given at graduation to the most deserving seniors. These awards are the most coveted of all that are presented.

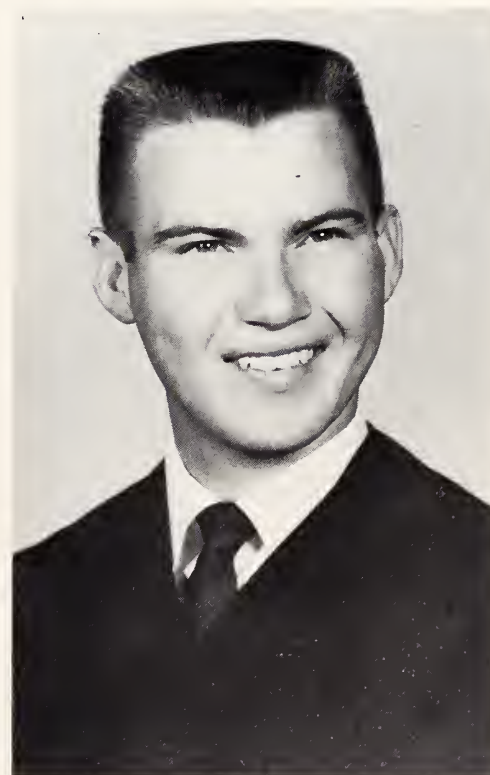
The STUDENT OF THE YEAR is chosen by the faculty from the nine winners of the STUDENT OF THE MONTH AWARD. The student of the month is chosen by the student body. Charles Lloyd won the award for 1962.

Devotion, sacrifice to the school, and service beyond duty are recognized in the VIKING SERVICE AWARD. This award was first presented in 1958. Cameron Coleman was the fifth recipient of the award.

First presented in 1961 was the SENIOR FULFILLMENT AWARD. This award is given to the senior who develops his abilities in such a way that the whole person is enriched. Susanne Rayburn was the recipient of this award. She also won the DAR citizenship award.

Probably the most coveted award given at Graduation is the CIVITAN CITIZENSHIP AWARD. This award was given to Eugene Brown for his service, good citizenship, participation, and all around good character.

Eugene Brown  
CIVITAN AWARD







Von Kamecke  
Martin  
Cook

Taylor  
Brown  
White

Hoke  
Kerns  
Cunnupp

Johnston  
Daggy  
Entrekin

Wagner  
Murray  
Knox

Threatt  
Vance  
Greene

Bates  
Lowman

Ghigo  
Powell

## . . . And on Awards Day Too

North's top students were officially recognized in a special chapel during the school's Honors and Awards Day.

Frank Ghigo received the Science Scholastic Award and shared the Mathematics Award with Suzy Daggy, who also won the local Betty Crocker Homemakers Award.

Two students, Mary Justice and Harold Threatt, received Danforth Foundation "I Dare You" Awards, and Threatt won the Science Award.

Eugene Brown won the PTA Scholarship Award; Brenda McGraw, the Alpha Delta Kappa Scholarship; Currie Johnston, the Harvard Book Prize; and Susanne Rayburn, the DAR Citizenship award, as well as the Derita Womans Club Scholarship.

Subject awards went to Fred Entrekin for agriculture; Bobby Henderson, art; Bill Murray, arts and crafts; Joe Lowman, band and chorus; Betty Cunnupp, commercial; Eric Taylor and David Von Kamecke, distributive education;

Joanne Greene, dramatics; Doris Brown, English and special award in French; Mimy Martin, French; Bobby Kerns, Latin; Isla Vance, home economics; Thomas Knox, industrial arts and mechanical drawing; Toni Powell, library; Bennett Setzer, National Math Award; Jane Bates, Medical Auxiliary Award; Jane Hoke, NOMA Award; Lorraine White, Bible; Doris Cook, social studies; Phyllis Wagner, U. S. History; and Zoe Hough, world peace.

Billie Jean McKeown and Frank Ghigo were recognized by the *News* for All Star Scholarship.



McKeown  
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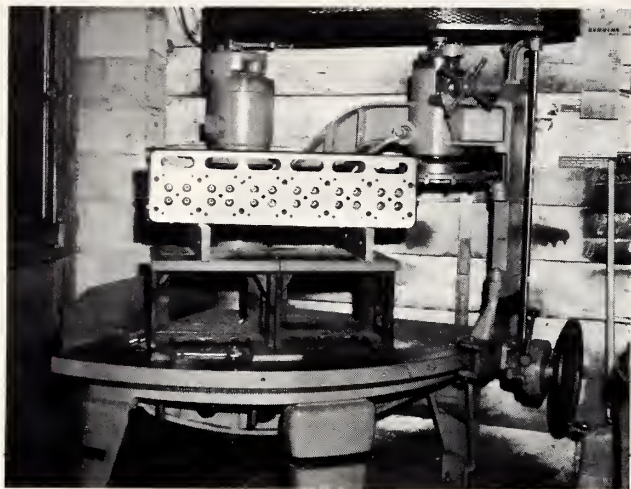
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Maecia,  
It's really been great getting  
to know you this year. You're  
a great girl and I'll always  
remember you. Without you in  
World Kit. and steady hell they  
would be ~~on~~ <sup>HOKE</sup> terrible. Your  
friendship has meant much to  
me this year and I hope to see  
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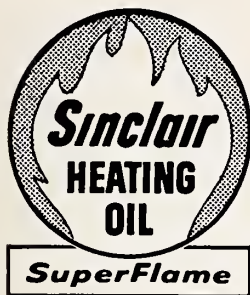
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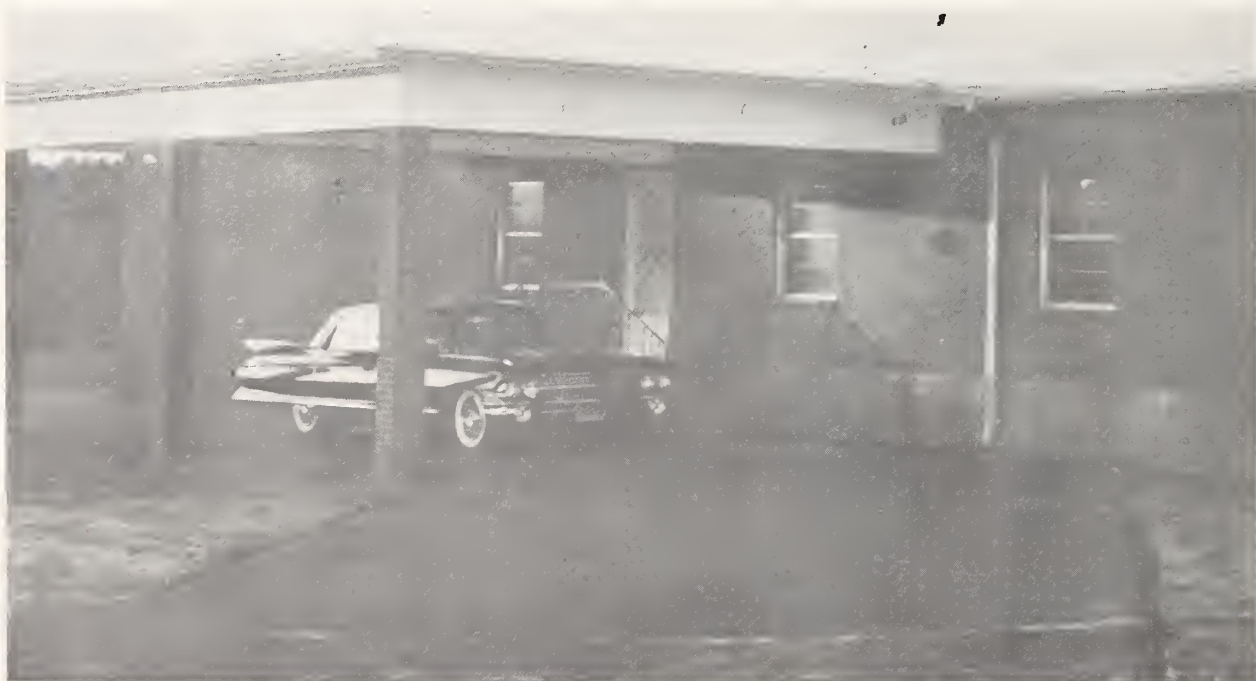
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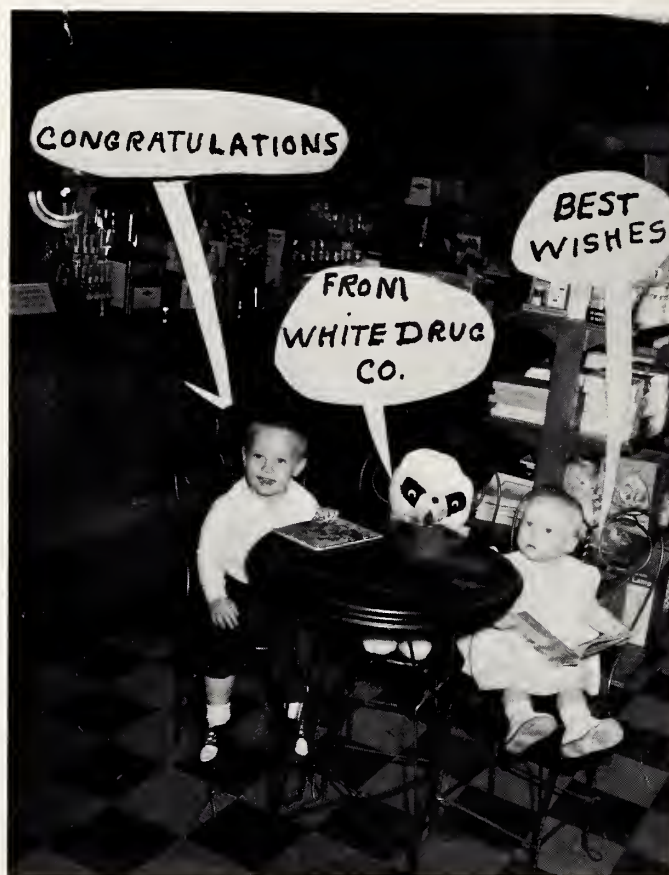
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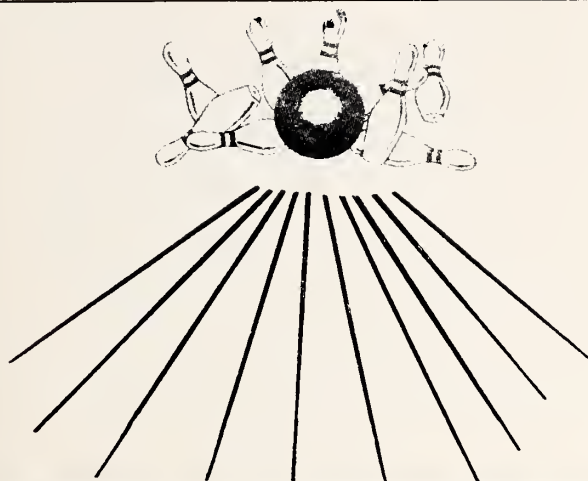
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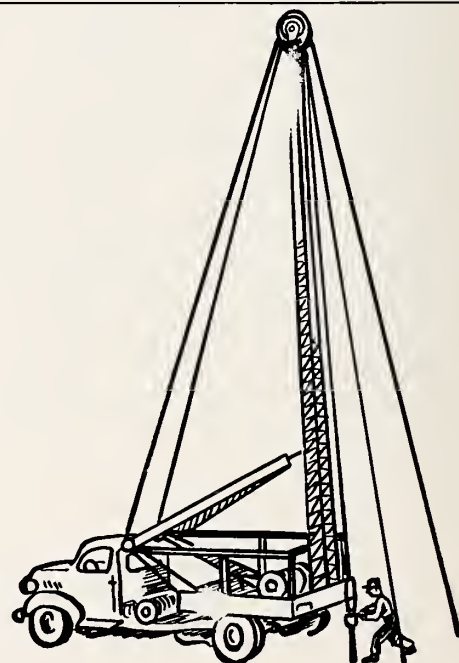
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Seemingly millions of pictures to take; class lists to make; ad pages to check; pages of copy to proofread; hours to spend checking and re-checking; completed pages to mail . . . This was the winter.

Proof pages to check, money to collect for advertisements and subscriptions; delivery lists to compile . . . Then the 1963 *Viking* . . . This was the spring.

Credit goes to the staff, but much credit goes elsewhere. Without the support and the cooperation of many people — our advertisers, the students and faculty, the Brumfields and Keys Printing Company—your *Viking* would not be. Special thanks go to Mrs. Barfield for her support, patience, and good humor.

We realize that it is impossible to capture realistically all sides of school life; however, we sincerely hope that you enjoy the '63 *Viking* and that in years to come it will recall pleasant memories of your high school days.



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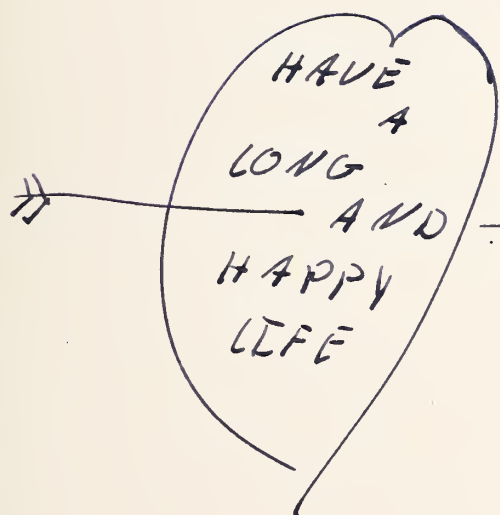
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Smith



**Marcia,**

I have enjoyed knowing you and having you for a friend these years. You are one of the finest people I know and I hope, and I'm sure, that'll you'll be a success in whatever you do. Best of luck to a really sweet girl.

Deane Deane



Marcia -

It has been wonderful knowing you this year.

Best of luck next year in the wilds of U. C.

I'll really miss you at lunch period next year. Who will I give my apples to?

Sue,

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I can't tell you how I've enjoyed knowing you this year.



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Marcia,

You know, I never thought this day would come but here it is! I don't know anybody any happier about it than us, do you? I guess it must have been our sophomore year when we really became friends, and I've enjoyed every minute of our friendship. Though our school years together are ending, I sincerely hope our friendship will continue for many years. Marsh, you have a great personality and an awful lot of brains so with a combination like that, you're bound to be a success at whatever you do. Be good at college next year, or at least have fun!! Really show W.C. who you are and what you can do, and anything you want from college will be yours. May God bless you in everything you do.

P.S. Let's raise enough L--- in New York to make up for the three years we couldn't at North, okay?

Always,  
Lita

Marcia,

In just a few more days we'll no longer be students of North Mecklenburg and you know, that really breaks me up. Seriously, when you think about not seeing all your old friends, it does make you feel sort of misty. Marcia, I'm very happy that you were accepted at W.C., but I'm sorry, too, for I know we won't see much of each other any more. We'll never have those good old wacky times that we had before. The times we went at time dressed to the hilt with high heels put. Eep we were dumb! And did our feet hurt when we were it later. Those P. J. parties where you stayed up 'til the good Lord only knows when, and we ate until I was afraid we'd burst all over some body's house. Marcia, I know you'll never forget that night you came down to my house and we had to get the perfume out and it got stuck. Good gracious, did that house ever smell! Do you remember the time it snowed and I walked up to your house and we walked back to my house? We made fudge with peanut butter in it and nearly got sick from eating so much. Marcia, I really have enjoyed knowing you these 4 years. You were my first friend in Charlotte, and I shall never forget you. I'm extremely glad that you got Miss High Miss. Good luck always to you for you really deserve it. I know you'll do well at college and make all of us proud of you, I mean proud. The best of luck to a very sweet girl and good friend. Love always,  
Ann



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